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Port Almanac—January 30.

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High Water at Wilmington	7.39 P M

The Weather.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE.
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 30.

Meteorological data for yesterday:

Temperature: 8 a. m., 15°; 8 p. m., 30°; maximum, 33°; minimum, 14°; mean, 23°.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month up to date, 1 76.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Jan. 28—At 8 a. m. the state of water in the Cape Fear river was 7 0 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

For North Carolina—Fair, followed by increasing cloudiness; northeasterly winds; slight rise in temperature.

OUTLINES.

A boarding school for girls near Dallas, Texas was destroyed by fire; all the inmates escaped. —— R G Dun & Co. report improvement in the business situation. —— There were 331 business failures in the United States the past week —— The bill for the representation of the United States at any international monetary conference that may be called passed the Senate by a vote of 46 to 4. —— Geo. F. Turner, Populist and free silver Republican nominee, has been elected U S Senator from Washington. —— A train on the Southern Pacific was held up by robbers near Rosebury, Oregon, and the express and mail cars plundered; the express car took fire from the explosion of dynamite and was destroyed. —— The bill appropriating $70 000 for a light house at the pitch of Cape Fear river was approved by the House Commerce Committee. —— New York markets: Money on call easy at 1½@3 per cent., last loan at 1½ per cent., closing offered at 1½ per cent.; cotton steady—middling 7 5 16c: Southern flour was steady and unchanged—common to fair extra $3 30@3 65; good to choice $3 75@4 05; wheat—spot active for export and lower, closing steady; No. 2 red free on board 93c; ungraded red 73@93c; corn—spot dull and firmer; No. 2 28¾@29c at elevator and 29¾@30c afloat; rosin dull—strained common to good $1 70@1 72½; spirits turpentine steady at 27½@28c.

It seems to us that with Marion Butler's recent experience in Senatorial rackets he would steer clear of the Idaho fracas, until some of the bruises were cured

There is hope that eventually the Chinaman will catch on to American customs. A gang of them lynched another Chinaman in Colorado, the other day for jumping a claim.

Evangelist Sam Jones has challenged Col. Bob Ingersoll for a joint discussion on religious subjects. Bob doesn't know anything about religion but devotes himself principally to extinguishing hell.

For a gay and festive county where the citizen may always count on something to interest him, Mingo county, in West Va., is a daisy. There are 1,800 voters in the county, and at the last term of court there were 1,000 criminal cases to be tried.

It is said that Banker Lyman Gage, who has been talked about for Secretary of the Treasury, voted for Cleveland in '92. This statement will not give impetus to his little boom among the fellows who want to have a hand in the Cabinet building.

Lemon pie eaters in Chicago are interested in the statement of the city chemist that the barrels of lemon pie stuff put up for their convenience are preserved by the infusion of a very poisonous preservative. Since then the lemon pie boom is on the wane.

According to Acting Comptroller Roberts, of New York, there are $3,000,000,000 worth of personal property in that State which annually escapes taxation. They get the tax out of the poor man but the rich evade it and are successful in the evasion.

The papers continue to discuss how to employ convicts. We rise to inject the remark that the way to employ convicts is to put them at road-building. The next best way when this is not done is to put them to work on the State farms, as North Carolina and some other Southern States are doing.

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Senator Chandler wants something done to prevent the wholesale larceny of U. S. Senatorships. This wasn't intended as a swipe at Hanna, although it might seem so at first sight. The fact is that Mr. Chandler is taking great interest in the claims of Dupont, Rep., who would like to get in as Senator from Delaware. By the way Mr. Chandler knows something about the larceny business for he figured in the grand larceny of 1876, which made Mr. Hayes President.

A Pennsylvania Judge recently decided that about $2,000 was a fair valuation of the average husband's affections, and this just after a Harlem, N. Y., man had recovered a verdict of $50,000 against another fellow for alienating his wife's affections. Judging from this the commercial value of domestic affections must range much higher in New York than in Pennsylvania, or the Pennsylvania Judge must have had a poor opinion of his masculine fellow citizens.

One of the oldest inhabitants of Peru, Ind., died the other day. One of her peculiarities was that she carried the same trunk around with her for more than seventy-five years, and the baggage smasher never phased it. The departed was Jenette, a well-behaved elephant belonging to Wallace's circus. She was brought from Africa seventy-five years ago, went into the show business and has stuck to it ever since.

The Washington *Post* thinks there will be an interesting time when finance and tariff get mixed up in the Senate, and "Mr. Pritchard and his conscience are forced into caucus." When Mr Pritchard is forced into caucus he will leave his conscience outside, for that is one of the things that Mr. Pritchard, from a political stand point, does not permit to cause him any embarrassment.

Mark Twain is now laboring hard in London, writing a book and living economically to raise money to pay debts which swamped his fortune and left him poor. But, under the cloud, he still sees the bright side.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HALL & PEARSALL—Groceries.
NOTICE—Stonewall Lodge K of P.
OPERA HOUSE—Sisson's Comedy Co.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Principally to People and Pointedly Printed.

— Mr. Albert Prempert is on the sick list.

— Capt. J. M. McGowan has returned from Raleigh.

— Mr. Thos. Perrett, of Falson, was registered here yesterday.

— Mr. E. H. Cranmer, of South port, was in the city yesterday.

— Mr. A. L. McDonald, of Laurinburg, was in the city yesterday.

— Mr. W. L. Moore, of Raleigh, was among yesterday's hotel registrations.

— Mr. Henry Grimes, of Kenansville, was among yesterday's hotel registrations.

— Capt. David Roberts, a well-known citizen of Newbern, was here yesterday.

— Dr. and Mrs. Hugh S. Cumming, of the U. S. M. H. service, were among yesterday's arrivals.

Charged With Fast Driving.

Calvin Bell, colored, driver of the Adrian reel, was arraigned yesterday before the fire committee, Mayor W. N. Harriss, Chief of Fire Department Martin Newman and Aldermen T. J. Gore and Jno Maunder, charged with driving beyond the regular rate of speed while going to a fire. Herbert McClammy, Esq., represented Bell. After hearing the evidence in the case the committee reserved its decision until Monday at 12 m. Mr. W. H. Merritt, a witness, while being cross examined by Mr. McClammy, fainted. Restoratives were administered and the young man was soon apparently all right.

The Stranded British Steamship Again Afloat.

A dispatch from Southport to the STAR received last night says: The tugs *Blanche* and *Brandow* arrived from the steamer *Ardrishaig* at 7 p. m. They report that after about five hundred tons of the cargo of kainit had been thrown overboard, the steamer, with the assistance of the tugs *Jones Blanche* and *Brandow* was floated at high tide yesterday afternoon. The steamship, convoyed by the *Jones*, proceeded towards the lightship, apparently uninjured and crew all well. She will probably continue her voyage to Savannah, Ga.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

— There was a slight moderation of the weather yesterday which was very gratifying.

— There will be a special meeting of the board of directors of the Associated Charities Monday, February 1, 12 m., at the office of the Association. Each member is earnestly requested to be present.

— Extensive improvements are being made to the sewerage and drainage system by laying new terra cotta pipes under Princess street between Third and Fourth, and by repairing the gutters in several portions of the city.

— The ladies and gentlemen who have kindly consented to take part in "The Scottish Reformation," or "Life of John Knox," are requested to meet for practice at Abbie Chadbourn Memorial Hall this (Saturday) evening at 7.30 o'clock.

— The STAR has received from Messrs. W. Atlee Burpee & Co., 475 North Fifth street, Philadelphia, a choice assortment of garden and flower seeds, including some new varieties. This is one of the leading seed houses of the country.

— Rev. T. N. Ivey, of Greensboro, one of the editors of the *North Carolina Christian Advocate*, is expected to arrive in the city and to preach Sunday morning at Grace church. Rev. R. A. Willis, the pastor, will preach tomorrow night.

— It is important that city subscribers notify us of all failures of carriers to delivers their papers Call at or send a postal to the STAR office whenever you miss your paper. Carriers who do not attend to their duties will be promptly discharged.

— While Dudley Shaw, who clerks in the store of J. W. S Robinson, Delta, was showing a pistol to J. B. Melvin, the pistol was accidentally discharged, the ball passing through Mr. Melvin's head and causing instant death. Mr. Melvin's family live in this city.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: "Mr. John Bale died at his home in 71st township at 4 o'clock this morning, in his 81st year. This news will be received with sorrow all over Cumberland county, the deceased gentleman being one of her most highly honored and esteemed citizens."

— Yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock a horse attached to a dray, while being driven up to drink out of the fountain on Market street, near Front stepped into the receptacle for the waste of the fountain, the cap of which was off, and broke one of his forelegs just below the knee. The injury was such that the horse had to be knocked in the head to relieve his misery. The horse belonged to Mr. J. C. Sneeden and at the time of the accident was being driven by Mr. Frank Jones.

OPERA HOUSE.

Oscar P. Sisson and Company—A Solid Week of Comedy, Beginning Monday.

Commencing Monday evening, February 1st, Wilmington will have at the Opera House one solid week of comedy, in which one of her favorite comedians, Oscar P. Sisson, will figure quite extensively. Mr. Sisson is well remembered here as a gentleman and an actor. His first appearance in this city was with the celebrated Jno. T. Raymond; next at the head of his own company, and last season with the Mabel Paige Company. This season he has surrounded himself with a company of capable players, who are seen to the best advantage in new and up to date comedies. The opening bill will be the roaring comedy 'The Colonel," of which the Fayetteville *Observer* of yesterday says:

'Oscar P. Sisson has come and conquered. Last night his company played "The Colonel" at the Opera House to a good audience, and a better performance or a better company we have never seen in Fayetteville. Mr. Sisson has played in this city twice before, the last time with Mabel Paige, but never before has he been the star of a finer set of actors and actresses. Mr. Sisson, as we all know, is an actor of the finest ability, and last night, as *Alfred Hummer*, he established a lasting reputation with his audience.

"As the play progressed the applause became so loud and continuous that Mr. Sisson had to step before the footlights and request the audience to be a little more moderate in showing its appreciation. In doing so he made a neat and witty little off hand speech and was warmly applauded at its conclusion."

Monday night every lady accompanied by a paid 50-cent ticket will be admitted free. Seats can now be obtained at Gerken's.

The "Racket Store."

Mr. M. Braddy has sold out his entire interest in the "Racket Store" to his partner, Mr. George O. Gaylord, who will conduct the business hereafter. Mr. Braddy is contemplating going to New York to set up a wholesale dry goods establishment.

The dimensions to which the "Racket Store" business has grown under the management of these two gentlemen speak well for their enterprise and business capacity. They came to Wilmington from Beaufort county in 1888 with a combined capital of $500 00. Their business at the time of dissolution had grown to be one of the most extensive and lucrative in the city.

Quarterly Meetings.

To-morrow is the appointed time for quarterly meeting at Market Street and Bladen Street Methodist Churches of this city, and in accordance therewith the Presiding Elder of this district, Rev. R. C. Beaman, will preach at Market Street Methodist Church on to-morrow morning at eleven o'clock and at Bladen Street Methodist E. Church to-morrow night at half-past seven o'clock.

— Mr. C. P. Grim, contractor, of Philadelphia, was here yesterday.

SUPERIOR COURT.

A Large Number of Cases on the Civil Docket Disposed of at Yesterday's Session.

The following cases were disposed of yesterday in the Superior Court:

The Singer Manufacturing Company vs. H. Merritt. Continued.

Frank Swift vs. W. H. Howe et al. Continued.

Hurlburt Bros. Co. vs. M. P. Taylor, Jr., & Co. Mistrial.

J. Davis, receiver, etc., vs. Adrian & Vollers. Judgment for plaintiff by consent.

A. G. Ricaud, receiver, vs. Harding Johnson. Judgment.

A. G. Ricaud, receiver, vs. J. R. Turrentine. Judgment.

A. G. Ricaud, receiver, vs. Alderman & Flanner. Judgment.

Jacob Lehman vs. John S. Barnes. Continued.

A. G Ricaud, receiver of the Peregoy-Jenkins Co. vs The C. W. Pike Co. Time allowed to file pleadings.

W. A. Wright and Louis G. Wright vs. J. H. Boatwright, guardian, etc. Non suit.

Frank H. Blodgett et al. vs. Union Construction Co. Continued.

Gillis & Black vs. F. H. Blodgett. Continued.

Sol Bear & Co. vs. C. F. & Y. V. R. R. Co. and John Gill, receiver. Continued.

Atlantic National Bank vs. A. H. Motley Co. et al. Judgment.

Simon L. Hirst, administrator, etc., vs W, N & N Railway Company, lessees. Continued.

Jno. S. Walters, et al. vs. American Manufacturing and Express Company, et al. Continued.

Iredell Meares, et. al., receiver, vs. Samuel J. Davis, et. al. Judgment.

J. D. Bellamy, Jr., vs. W. N. Harriss, Jr., et al. Judgment.

W. W. Hodges vs. Walker Taylor. Continued.

Carter & Price vs. Carter Peaman. Sixty days allowed defendant to file answer.

Wm. H. Anderson vs. Mary Anderson. Continued.

Netta H. Hullen vs. City of Wilmington. Continued.

Iredell Meares et al., receiver, vs. Alfred Jones et al. Continued.

Iredell Meares et al., receiver, vs. S. F. Yopp et al. Continued.

Iredell Meares et al., receiver, vs. A. M Wilson et al. Judgment.

Iredell Meares et al., receiver, vs. Adolphus Thomas et al. Judgment.

Iredell Meares et al., receiver, vs. Abel Walker et al. Judgment.

City of Wilmington vs. Mrs. E. J. Moore. Alias summons.

City of Wilmington vs. Mrs. A. S. Ellis. Alias summons.

City of Wilmington vs. Alex. Mallett et al. Alias summons.

City of Wilmington vs. H. P. West. Alias summons.

City of Wilmington vs. Dr. W. W. Harriss. Alias summons.

Stilly Jones vs. Wilmington Street Railroad Company. Continued.

John Suggs vs. Bettie Suggs. Continued.

J. D. Westbrook vs. Smith & Burr. Continued.

Maggie Hypshire vs. H. M. Hypshire, continued.

Louisa W. Katz vs. Gerrit Walker, et al. Continued.

G. W. Williams vs. Walter Smallbones et al. Continued.

City of Wilmington vs. Gracie Ann Gause. Alias summons.

City of Wilmington vs. Henry C. Green. Alias summons.

City of Wilmington vs. Nathaniel Jarvis. Alias summons.

City of Wilmington vs. Alice Johnson et al. Alias summons.

City of Wilmington vs. Mary E. Bell. Continued.

City of Wilmington vs. Jane E. Costin. Alias summons.

City of Wilmington vs. G. W. Morehead et al. Alias summons.

Matt J. Heyer vs. Mrs. Anna B. Brown. Continued.

Roberts & Hege vs. Geo. T. Bland & Co. Continued.

Saeed & Co. vs. A. G Ricaud, administrator, Etta Willard et al. Continued.

J. A. Rivenbirk vs. the Wilmington Street Railway Company. Continued.

W. T. Severing vs. Adrian & Vollers Continued.

Schloss Bros. & Co. vs. S. H. Fishblate. Continued.

The following order was made: Ordered that in all suits of the city for back taxes, counsel for the plaintiff be allowed to make alias summons in all cases necessary and to file pleadings.

At 11 30 a. m. Court took a recess until 10 o'clock this morning.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.—224 bales cotton, 8 bbls tar.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.—181 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 193 bbls rosin, 20 bbls tar.

Carolina Central R. R.—160 bbls rosin, 4 bbls tar.

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R.—118 bales cotton, 76 bbls rosin, 8 bbls tar.

Steamer A. P. Hurt—33 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 160 bbls rosin, 63 bbls tar.

Total receipts—Cotton, 506 bales; spirits turpentine, 4 casks; rosin, 534 bbls; tar, 106 bbls.

One Cent a Word.

Hereafter advertisements to go in our "Business Locals" department will be charged one cent per word for each insertion; but no advertisement, however short, will be taken for less than 20 cents

This is a reduction from former rates and it is also a convenience to advertisers who can calculate the exact cost of their advertisements, which must be paid for always in advance.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

BILLS INTRODUCED IN THE SENATE AND HOUSE.

Concerning Railroads—To Add Cumberland to the Counties in the Eastern Criminal Circuit—For Impeachment of Judge Norwood—Senator Butler's Policy Endorsed by the Majority Populists—The Minority Conferring with Republicans.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 29—In the House bills were introduced to-day as follows:

To add Cumberland county to the Eastern Criminal Circuit.

To create the office of Public Printer; to let to the lowest responsible bidder all printing and binding, may let to different persons, salary to be $1,500, term of office four years; appointment by the Governor.

To require "Coin Harvey's book" to be taught in public schools.

Cooke moved that a committee of seven be appointed to confer as to the lease of the N. C. railway, and to also consider the matter of presenting the term of operation of railways in the State by foreign corporations. Adopted. Cooke then introduced a bill in regard to the lease.

Bills were passed, incorporating the Stone Mountain Railway, one hundred miles long, through Ashe and Watauga, to connect with the Virginia & Tennessee railway, and to cost $3 000 000; to incorporate the Moore County & Western Railway.

Sutton, of New Hanover, offered a resolution providing for the impeachment of Judge Norwood by the Senate for habitual drunkenness. It specifies six courts at which Norwood was drunk, among these being Wilmington. The resolution provides that a committee of three attorneys be raised to present this order of the House to the Senate and prosecute Norwood in behalf of the House.

Bills were passed as follows:

Renewing and keeping in force the charter of the Wilmington, Norfolk & Charleston railway.

A joint resolution introduced by Sutton to raise a committee of five to consider the necessity of a Code commission to codify and revise laws of the State.

Hauser's bill requesting the Governor to secure the amount of salaries of railway companies passed third reading.

Bill to allow the Governor to appoint notaries public was made the special order for Monday.

Resolution to print five hundred copies of Russell's message came up. A thousand copies were ordered printed.

Bill to give deputy clerks of the Superior Court authority to probate deeds.

Bill tabled to allow judges to limit speeches of lawyers save in capital cases to two speeches on a side.

In the Senate a bill was introduced authorizing the appointment of tax collectors.

A resolution making a third of the members of a committee a quorum thereof was adopted.

Bill that no company or corporation shall catch fish by seines or nets in any waters of the State without first obtaining license of $25 from the State Treasurer.

Bill in relation to tramps and vagrants, to impose a fine of not exceeding fifty dollars or imprisonment not over thirty days.

Butler offered an amendment to the bill instructing Senators and Representatives in Congress to vote for free coinage of silver, 16 to 1, independent of all nations, whether the same be attached as a rider or not; that legal tenders sufficient to meet the needs of increasing population be increased; to abolish the national banking system; to prevent discrimination in any kinds of lawful money; to prevent retiring of greenbacks; to prevent special favors to monopolies and trusts; to prevent passage of the "Pacific Funding bill"; to have the Government foreclose the mortgage and operate the road.

To establish a postal telegraph and telephone system and government postal savings banks; to check dangerous extension and usurpation of powers by executive and federal judiciary; to secure adoption of a graduated income tax. Amendment passed, vote, 27 to 16. Democrats and Populists voted for the bill.

The majority Populists unanimously adopted a resolution endorsing Senator Butler's recent policy in the strongest language. Refer to him as a man among men and of great courage.

Minority Populists appointed a committee consisting of McCaskey, Brown and Bryan, to confer with Republicans relative to acting together on all legislative matters.

Death of an Old Citizen.

Mr. W. B. Hartsfield, one of Wilmington's oldest citizens, entered into rest Thursday night at 12 o'clock. Mr. Hartsfield had been suffering with his heart for a long time, and Thursday at midnight he passed quietly away at his residence, 409 Red Cross street, in the 70th year of his age. The deceased came to this city when but a mere boy, and for the last forty years of his life was employed as a coppersmith in the shops of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Company. He was also a member of Stonewall Lodge No. 1, Knights of Pythias, which order will take place this afternoon at 4 o'clock from Grace M. E. Church.

At the Opera House.

Mr. Young and his most excellent company presented the four-act comedy "David Garrick," last night to a very appreciative audience. Mr. Young proved himself once more to be an actor of much ability, and too much cannot be said in his praise. He was very ably supported, and his company is far above the average.

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RALEIGH NEWS BUDGET

SENATOR PRITCHARD TOO SICK TO VISIT M'KINLEY.

Boyd's Cabinet Boom—Maj Grant May Be Elected Sergeant-at-Arms of the United States Senate—Railroad Bills Will Be Considered by the Senate Next Thursday.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 29—Major H. L. Grant, of Wayne, will be elected sergeant-at-arms of the United States Senate in March if the Republicans reorganize that body, as it is generally believed that they will. It will be remembered that Maj Grant received the recommendation last year, but that the Republicans were unable to organize the Senate. Maj Grant's nomination is still effective and will be until the election occurs. The office is a very desirable one and it is hardly probable that any other North Carolina Republican will fare better than Maj Grant.

A letter from Senator Pritchard, who is sick in Washington, states that he will be unable to go to Canton to visit McKinley until next week. The fact that Pritchard will probably push Boyd's Cabinet boom has caused the boys to speculate a good deal. They think that by virtue of the fact that Pritchard being the only Republican Senator from the South, North Carolina will stand a pretty good chance of being represented in the Cabinet if any Southern State is.

Senator George Butler, chairman of the railway committee, says that February 4th is the date set for the consideration of all railroad bills by the Senate committee. By that time the bill to revoke the lease of the North Carolina railroad will have been introduced.

Mr. Butler says that the House committee on railroads will be invited to sit in joint session with the Senate committee on the 4th.

The free pass bill and the one reducing freight and passenger rates, will be considered at that time.

Governor Russell is having the bill to amend the lease of the North Carolina road prepared. He has called in ex-Judge Avery to assist in the preparation of it.

It is learned that the offer made to Senator Hardison to give him a $1,500 job in return for his vote for Senator Pritchard's re-election came from a Newbern negro named Smith. It is said that Smith told Hardison that he would secure for him the appointment of Collector of Customs in return for his vote. Republicans say that Smith had as soon promised Hardison a place in McKinley's Cabinet and that he had as much right to make one promise as the other.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Wilmington postoffice January 30, 1897:

LADIES' LIST.

B—Miss Martha Brown, Mrs M L Barr, Mrs L J Bowden, Mrs Emily Booker. C—Mrs Roseanna Cooper. M—Miss Sarah Dunsim. E—Miss Fannie Ever, Mrs R A Ebert. F—Miss Hettie Frissewand, Miss Nellie Frink. G—Miss Bessie Goodwin. H—Miss Hattie E Hall. C—Miss Fannie Kelly. —Miss Kater Little, Mrs P L Lee. M—Miss Lilly McCarsan. P—Miss Agnes Parry, Miss Mattie L Phillips. R—Miss Nellie Robbins. S—Miss Caroline Slade, Mrs Charly Simmonds. W—Carrie S White, Mrs Ellsey Webb, Mrs S W Williams.

MEN'S LIST.

B—William H Bomand, Eliar Barr, Perry B ice, John O Buen, Julius Bell, J W Bryan. D F Claims. Dan Coper. Dan'l Chatman. F—E D Farrier, J W Farrell. G—Saint George. H—R I Howard. Frank Hammons. Ed Harrison. E J Howard. Isadore Hand, W J Hankins. J—Zac Jones. L—Jimmie Long. R F Lee. M—Fred Martin, H A Miller, Joseph Moore, W E Merritt. N—Geo Neill. R—Geo Rube. Johnny Rashe. S—Make Saipman, G B Simpson. S—Dan Stackhouse, Taos A Smith, J Willie Spauley. T—Jas B Vucker, William Tate. W—Andrew Wilson, Williams Worring.

FROM DEAD LETTER OFFICE.

J Bell, Emma McNeill, Ethel Pendergraft, Willie Simpson.

Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. If not called for in fifteen days, they will be sent to the dead letter office.

GEO. L. MORTON, Postmaster.

MAXTON ITEMS.

From Harker's Maxton letter to the *Robesonian*:

Miss Ethel Armfield, of Mount Airy, is visiting relatives in Maxton.

Messrs. D. B. Cameron & Bro., of Stewart's, have sold their saw mill to the Stewart Lumber Company, composed of Archie Blue, J. A. Cameron and W. J. Ferguson.

Mr. A. J. Cottingham, who is preparing to start a patent dry kiln and a planing mill near the C. F. & Y. V. R. R. crossing, is also considering the feasibility of putting in an electric light plant there also. We trust that his plans will be carried out. He expects an electrician here in a few days to make estimates.

An epidemic of grip and pneumonia which has proved quite fatal has been raging in the upper end of Robeson. Mr. Henry McNeill recently lost his wife; this was followed by his own death. Mr. O. R. McRae also died; then last week Mr. Normant Stewart and Mrs. Wm. McPaaul, who was a daughter of Mr. Henry McNeill, died. Children of McNeill and Stewart were also reported as sick.

If there is anything you want, advertise for it. Is there anything you don't want? Advertise it in the Business Locals of the STAR. One cent a word. But no ad. taken for less than 20 cents. tf

The Churches.

Grace Methodist E. Church, South, northeast corner of Grace and Fourth streets. Rev. R. A. Willis, Pastor. Services to-morrow at 11 a. m. and 7 30 p. m. Sunday school at 3 30 p. m. Experience meeting at 10 a. m in the lecture room. Weekly prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday evening at 8.00 o'clock. Strangers and visitors are cordially invited to attend these services.

Fifth Street M. E. Church South, situated on Fifth street, between Nun and Church, Rev. W. L. Cunninggim, Pastor. Services to-morrow at 11 a. m and 7 30 p. m by the pastor Sunday School at 3 00 p. m. Class meeting at 6 45 p. m. The public cordially invited to all services

Market Street M. E. Church, next to corner Ninth and Market streets, Rev. I. H. Sutton, pastor. Services every Sunday a 11 a. m. and 7 30 p. m Class meeting at 9 30 a. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday night at 7.30 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church, Rev. P. H. Hoge, pastor. Divine service at 11 a. m and 8.00 p m. Young people's prayer meeting at 7 30 in the primary room. Sunday School at 3.00 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 8 p. m.. Seats free.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Asa D. McClure, pastor. Sabbath service at 11 a. m and 7 30 p. m. Sabbath school at 3 30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8.00 p m. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

South Side Baptist Church, corner Fifth and Wooster streets; Rev. J. B Harrell, Pastor. Services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday School at 3 30 p m. Weekly Prayer Meeting Wednesday night at 7.30.

Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Sixth and Queen streets. There will be the usual services on Sunday at 11 a m and 8 p m.

DIED.

HARTSFIELD—In this city on the 29th inst., at 12 o'clock midnight, W. B. HARTSFIELD, in the 70th year of his age.

Funeral this afternoon at 4 o'clock, from Grace M. E. Church, thence to Oakdale Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances of the family are invited to attend.

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By WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, JAN. 29, 1897

PRESIDENT ALDERMAN'S ADDRESS.

The people of North Carolina who take an interest in the subject of the higher education of our young men found cause for congratulation when on the resignation of President Winston to enter upon service in another field the University was so fortunate as to secure one so well equipped as Mr. Edwin Anderson Alderman to succeed him. A teacher by profession, a trained teacher, identified for years with our State schools, an enthusiast in his calling, but as well poised and mentally equipped as he is enthusiastic, he carries with him in the position to which he has been called all the elements essential to success, if he have the support that he should have in the administration of his office.

His inaugural address delivered last Wednesday was not only an eloquent plea for higher education but a patriotic plea for the venerable institution over which he presides, once the pride and which should for all time be the pride of the State. Created coincident with the Republic, the University has nursed and trained intellects of our own and other States, which have done much in shaping the destiny of North Carolina and in adding luster to other States and to the Republic. Speaking, of this, the address says:

"It is an heroic roll call—president, vice president, cabinet ministers, jurists, senators, governors, scholars, divines, farmers, manufacturers, and last, but not least, countless cultured gentlemen We have ranged them in yonder hall in just pride, as a mother disposes of her children, so that the eager youth of to-day may gaze upon them and feel the quickening of the heart beat It is, too, a proud record of service to society. Joseph Caldwell, our first president, revealed the value of the public schools to the people. Archibald Murphey, a teacher here with constructive genius, shaped the revelation and Calvin Wiley, a graduate, actualized it in the completest system of public schools in Southern ante bellum life. The railroad era was inaugurated by Morehead and Caldwell. The foundations of Industrialism were laid by the Holts and the Friezes and scientific agriculture received its first impetus from University men. The annals of North Carolina without her University would be a meager and barren story. And so our past is secure. To-day belongs to the present and the future. The great war freed us all. Once we were aristocratic in government and education, now we are democratic in both. Our labor has b come free, our property has changed hands, our doors have been thrown open to ideas and men and money. In short, we have passed from the patriarchal to the economic stage of society where is needed the subtler brain and the more cunning hand and where the orators and dreamers of old must, at least, share the stage with the manufacturers, the producer, the industrial man. No longer does any semblance of caste or social creed suppress individual effort. Quite the contrary. The irrepressible instinct of Democracy restrained for some generations is manifesting itself among all the people who are everywhere rushing to the front, demanding their share in government and straightway learning to govern by governing It is idle to bid them wait. They follow a just instinct and such things fall out that way always in human history."

The following figures show the resources of the University:

"The State owns here, largely the gift of individuals, twelve buildings, six well equipped scientific laboratories, a library of some 35 000 volumes and five hundred acres of land. The estimated money value of this plant is about $500 000 Private benefaction has given in recent years productive funds amounting to about $100 000. The income from fees of all kinds amounts to about $15 000 and the State makes an annual appropriation of $20 000. The total income of the institution is, therefore, about $40 000. This is no fit sum with which to run a University. Yet with this income there are employed twenty-three professors and instructors and six assistants. The running expenses of the institution are borne, and they are peculiarly heavy owing to the arrangement of our buildings This teaching force is composed of men of reverent christian spirit, of large acquired culture and with a capacity for honest work. The personal element is still strong here, causing us to make up for poverty of material equipment by personal helpfulness and personal devotion. This is not the University of any sect, but of all sects, and so long as I shall direct its life, the breeze of freedom shall blow through its walls—not the freedom of license and scoff—but that thrilling liberty of truth which makes one free, and the truth here sought whether of nature or of man shall be sought that men may come nearer to God and to good. A University cannot be irreligious unless its teachers are. It cannot ignore religion, for religion will not ignore it. Religion is life and truth and that is what a University seeks to make and to find."

This is too valuable a plant to permit to go to decay for want of proper nurture. President Alderman believes this ought to be liberal, and thus speaks to the point:

"Such is our social engine, as it is, and the American college world may be safely challenged for a record of greater achievement on the means available. It is an evidence of growth in men and institutions when they have needs. A complaisant University without any hope or ambition comfortably dead. An institution of learning especially so at times reaches a crisis when straining every nerve it reaches the limit of its expansion. It cannot stand still and mark time, for the onward feeling must be in the very air. Increase of numbers does not mean increase of wealth but the contrary. This University has reached such a point and you must know its needs, for it is my duty to know and to point them out. It is recognized that the State in its assessed wealth shows poverty, but therein rests the chief reason for expenditure in all forms of education. Much legislation is made only to be repealed, but educational legislation is eternal and creative. Ignorance is both a cause and effect of poverty and ignorance brings nothing to pass but folly. Economy, of course, should every prevail, but retrenchment should spare education. Wise statesmanship has always felt in times of greatest trial that the hope for better things lay in unbeaten and potential youth. Luther uttered his shrillest note to the Burgomasters of Germany pleading for education. This University was born in the gloomiest hour of the American Revolution. It was revived when our fathers were taking up the task of finding bread to eat after the Civil Conflict and it should be strengthened now when we are searching amid dins and clamors for the right clew to a changed social order. It is poor political economy to knock the brains out of a community to save money, for brains is money. We cannot wait to get rich to educate. We must educate in order to get rich. Learn this lesson from the great States west of the Mississippi. They give annually to their Universities as follows: Illinois, $883 000; Ohio, $250 000; Wisconsin, $278 000; Michigan, $194 000. Kansas $10 000; California $112 000. Indiana, $80 000, Iowa, $76 000; North Dakota, $37 000."

After briefly sketching the course of studies pursued, and giving a number of good and sufficient reasons why the people and the State should be proud of and care for this institution in which the highest and the most humble has or should have an interest, the address concludes with the following eloquent reference to the past and glance at the future:

"An unbroken sovereignty of genius and devotion has ruled and guided this institution in the past. Their pictured faces look down on us to-day, and some of us may recall their benignant figures as they arise out of the shadows of the past—Caldwell, Swain, Mitchell, the Phillipses, the Hoopers and a host of others. Dr. Battle is happily with us, as unwearying in zeal and power as when he plucked the University from decay, set it on its feet and guided it to assured success. The energy, the commanding intelligence and the resourceful of Geo. T. Winston is but a thing of yesterday here, though he has transferred his great constructive gifts to the far off State of Texas.

"I do not permit myself to think that I can be to this institution what these men were, though their examples light my pathway, I can only promise to dedicate to it whatever strength I have of mind or body or soul and this I do under God and before the face of this goodly company. I realize that the University is larger in scope and greater in usefulness than it has been in any former day. The work it has to do is more vital and varied and exacting as the age is more intense and complex. And yet there is no despair in the task. Like some noble oak on its campus the University has stuck its root deep in our soil, deep down through the rock. Underneath its hospitable branches all sorts and conditions of men will gather, and the rains may descend and the floods come and the winds blow and perchance sway its branches in the upper air, but it shall fall not, for it is built upon the rock of public favor, and public necessity and Christian Democracy and it shall stand forever. It inspires me to think how bravely it was standing here generations before you and I were born—a small, pleasant voice crying in the wilderness of a feeble young State and a new world.

"My fancy has sight of it in the strange, new century awaiting it and us, grown more beautiful in its outward seeming and fairer to look upon, its altar fires alight and glowing, ardent youth bearing our names and flesh of our blood streaming through its groves and its gray old walls still inviting from out the busy world all those who would woo the goddess of Truth.

"Strong in the strength of an unwearying service, confident of the unfailing rectitude of public impulse, the University enters a new stadium of the second century of its course 'with malice toward none, with charity for all,' and with a will to serve the high and majestic ends of Republican citizenship. The University is the people's school. Her watchword and her graven motto shall be creative energy, enlightened civil zation, and untrammelled manhood. 'Who shall rail against her power? May she mix with men and prosper!'"

MINOR MENTION.

The New York *Tribune* is a high tariff protectionist, but there are facts which it cannot ignore and is candid enough to admit, which it thinks should be taken into consideration in forming the new tariff bill Speaking about protection to the iron industry it says:

"The testimony on behalf of the iron industry (at the sessions of the Ways and Means Committee) has been watched with peculiar interest. There is no other branch of manufacture in which so many combinations have been formed to restrict production and fix prices, and no other in which such combinations have more injuriously taxed consumers or more hampered industrial development. With Alabama iron exported this very month to the extent of 20,000 tons to England, with steel rails sold within a month in large quantities to railroads in Japan, with nail producers able to export 8 000 000 pounds last year of wire nails and 20 000 000 pounds of cut nails, it seems as if important branches of the industry, at least, were able to face foreign competition without fear."

Facts like these should, of course, have weight, but will they? If the framers of the new tariff were intent on working for the good of the country, and had that more in view than to put money into the purses of men to whom they feel under obligations for campaign funds contributed, they would have weight, but this is not the case, for the men who will frame this tariff are under deep obligations to Mark Hanna, an iron manufacturer, who used his money and money contributed by other manufacturers to secure the nomination and election of Wm. McKinley and they will be called on to discharge the obligation and shape a bill that will remunerate these men for efforts they made and the money they spent for the success of the party. That is the principle upon which all the Republican tariffs have been framed, to benefit the men who work for the Republican party. The success of the iron industry in Alabama will have very little influence in the shaping of the new tariff, if it doesn't stimulate the protectionists to further aid the Northern iron manufacturers to hold their grip against the South, which is becoming an uncomfortable competitor not only abroad but at home.

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And now the bolting Pops, the P. P. P.'s, Harry Skinner's contingent, have issued an address, a "your're another" document, on the heels of the other address issued by the Butlerites. They cannot be accused an over stock of modesty when they acquit some of the Butler followers of sympathy with "Butler's diabolical scheme to drive out the best and brainiest Populists in the State from the party." Our impression is that Hon. Harry Skinner (who has no mean opinion of his excellence or brain force) inspired this address as statesman Butler the one which evoked it. The fact is, that Harry thinks he is a bigger man than Butler, and that's what's the matter with him and with Butler, and as things have panned out so far it looks as if Harry had established his claim, unless the Republicans in the next Senatorial bout go back on him as he went back on the Populist party in the late Senatorial melee. As we have heretofore remarked Harry is playing to lift Butler out of that seat in the Senate when his present term expires, and Butler (who is not so blind that he can't see through a rail fence) knows this and has therefore moved to block the Hon. Harry's game, by "purging" the party of Harry and all such selfish fellows who put themselves above "principle, party and country." There is a decidedly amusing streak running through all this tangle.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Of course, when Mr. Hanna declared that the election of McKinley was the only thing necessary to restore prosperity he had not thought of making a vacancy in the Senate by placing John Sherman in the Cabinet. *Washington Post, Ind.*

—— It has been noticed that the species of immorality known as the display of wealth is not perennial in New York. It is not practiced at all, for instance, when the tax collector is on his rounds, and it also did some vigorous dodging in the income tax days. New York preachers should be less sweeping when they discourse on such themes. *Philadelphia Reord.*

—— Congressman Barthold's objection to the Immigration bill, that it would estop an illiterate wife from landing with her more learned husband, is well taken and the bill should be amended in this particular. Husband and wife should not be separated. Both should be admitted in such a case, especially since the wife could not become a voter, except in a very few States. Neither should they be separated when the husband is illiterate while the wife can read and write. In that case, both should be turned back.—*Phil Record, Dem.*

—— The criticism of the Bradley-Martin ball is misplaced. There is nothing objectionable in the spending of money by people who have money which they do not know how to dispose of The correct point of criticism is found in the conditions which make it possible for people to accumulate these vast fortunes outside of legitimate business. The stock speculating and other forms of occupation by which a few amass wealth at the expense of the many are what make such extravagant expenditure possible.—*Indianapolis Sentinel, Dem.*

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TWINKLINGS.

— A—Before Miss Tinleigh's father made his fortune she used to be long and lanky.

B—Well, has she changed?

A—Oh, yes! Now she is divinely tall. —*Puck.*

— Mother—Instead of beating the cat, Willie, I wish you would amuse yourself with your doll.

Willie—Yes; but when I beat the cat he howls, and the doll doesn't.—*Boston Globe.*

— Stage News—"Did you know that Henry Irving had sprained one of his knees?"

"Yes; now he will have to make gestures with his arms."—*Chicago Record.*

— "Do you mean to say that your daughter hasn't told you that she was engaged to me?"

"No; I told her not to bother me with those affairs unless she intended to get married."—*Life*

— "Prisoner at the bar," said his Lordship solemnly, having donned the black cap, "you will shortly have to appear before another and, perhaps, a better judge."—*Household Words.*

— Money-Lender—"Is M. le marquis de Toucher at home?"

Maid—"No, sir, monsieur is out."

Money-Lender—"When will he be at home?"

Maid—"As soon as you leave."—*Le Monde Comique.*

— "I wonder what got Bluebeard starting to cutting off his wives' heads?"

"Very likely the idea occurred to him while he was at the theatre behind a big hat."—*Indianapolis Journal.*

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HEART DISEASE, has its victim at a disadvantage. Always taught that heart disease is incurable, when the symptoms become well defined, the patient becomes alarmed and a nervous panic takes place. But when a sure remedy is found and a cure effected, after years of suffering, there is great rejoicing and desire to "let the whole world know." Mrs. Laura Wineinger, of Selkirk, Kansas, writes: "I desire to let the whole world know what Dr. Miles' Heart Cure has done for me. For ten years I had pain in my heart, shortness of breath, palpitation, pain in my left side, oppressed feeling in my chest, weak and hungry spells, bad dreams, could not lie on either side, was numb and suffered terribly. I took Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and before I finished the second bottle I felt its good effects, I feel now that I am fully recovered, and that Dr. Miles' Heart Cure saved my life."

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Charlotte *Observer*: Mrs. Pauline Query, wife of Mr. C. M Query, died Wednesday night at her residence, on North College street. She had been a life long sufferer with spinal disease, and had been confined to the house for several years. —— Mrs. T. W. Mason died at her home, in Northampton county, on the 25th inst., of bronchitis. She was the wife of Hon. T. W. Mason, who was the candidate for Lieutenant Governor on the Democratic ticket in the late election.

— Chatham *Record*: Miss Lizzie Henderson, the 17 year old daughter of Hezekiah Henderson, of Hadley township, died on last Friday at the Methodist Female College at Greensboro, where she was a student. —Two brothers, Messrs. John and Joab Cheek, died in Matthews township on the 16th of this month, one being 73 and the other 68 years of age. They had resided together in the same house ever since the birth of the younger, and they died within five hours of each other.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: A telegram was received this (Tuesday) morning from Pittsborough announcing the sudden death there last night of Mrs. Catherine DeRosset Hill, widow of the late Nathaniel M. Hill, Esq. Mrs. Hill, who was the youngest daughter of the late Judge John D. Toomer, was, we believe, in her 70th year. She was a handsome woman, and possessed all the charms and graces of the high bred women of the Cape Fear in ante bellum days; and, in those days, she and her courtly husband dispensed a lavish hospitality at their home at Rocky Run, near Wilmington, and at their Summer place near Pittsborough.

— Monroe *Enquirer:* There was more drunkenness here last Monday and Tuesday than we have ever seen in this town. Probably a case of "like judge like people." —— As a result of a meeting held by a number of the citizens of Monroe last week a petition is being circulated praying for a dispensary for Monroe —— Mr. Benjamin A. Williams, of Lilesville, Anson county, was found dead in bed last Tuesday morning. He spent last Sunday here and left for his home last Monday looking the perfected picture of health. — Mr. William Jones, of Sandy Ridge township, died at his home last night. He was well until a few hours before his death, when he was taken violently sick. He was about seventy years old. —— Fannie Brooks, colored, died at Marshville on the 20th inst., at the advanced age of one hundred and four years. She leaves great, great, great grand children.

Family Silver

Many an opulent chest of family silver began with the little teaspoons made by GORHAM 60 years ago, and contains to-day no piece that *isn't* Gorham! What a legacy of art and beauty to hand down to the children!—and to their children, also

Too good for Dry Goods Stores—Jewelers only.

He Wanted to Ride.

"Wait a minute, mister; I want to wide up," said a toddling, ragged little codger to an elevator operator in the Monadnock building yesterday evening.

"Get in," replied the manipulator of levers and compressed air.

When they reached the thirteenth floor and the child had called no number, the elevator man asked:

"Where do you want to go to, boy?"

"Way up to the top."

At the top he made no move to get out.

"Well, where did you want to go?"

"Down."

"How far down?"

"Way down to the bottom."

"Oh! You just wanted to ride?"

"Yeth. Didn't I say I wanted to wide?"—Chicago News.

Avoid Purple Ink.

The purple ink fad seems to be spreading. It is, of all correspondence fads, the most disagreeable.

To read many pages written in this glittering, shining color is enough to give the reader an attack of mental prostration as well as to precipitate blindness.

The faculty which purple ink possesses of growing positively alive and making all the curves of letters seem like wriggling snakes is something remarkable and something which should banish purple ink from polite correspondence.—Strand Magazine.

Experience Teaches.

A gentle Quaker had two horses, a very good and a very bad one. When seen riding the latter, it turned out that his better half had taken the good one.

"What!" said a sneering bachelor. "How comes it that your wife rides the better horse?"

"Friend," replied the gentle Quaker thoughtfully, "when thee's married, thee will know."—Philadelphia Call.

In Norway the horses are broken in by women. They make pets of them first, feeding the colts out of their own hands and teaching them to follow like dogs.

The feast is such as earth, the general mother, pours from her fairest bosom when she smiles in the embrace of autumn.—Shelley.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off the impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or $1.00 per bottle at R. R. BELLAMY'S Drug Store. †

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It is often difficult to convince people their blood is impure, until dreadful carbuncles, abscesses, boils, scrofula or salt rheum, are painful proof of the fact. It is wisdom now, or whenever there is any indication of

Impure

blood, to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, and prevent such eruptions and suffering.

"I had a dreadful carbuncle abscess, red, fiery, fierce and sore. The doctor attended me over seven weeks. When the abscess broke, the pains were terrible, and I thought I should not live through it. I heard and read so much about Hood's Sarsaparilla, that I decided to take it, and my husband, who was suffering with boils, took it also. It soon purified our

Blood

built me up and restored my health so that, although the doctor said I would not be able to work hard, I have since done the work for 20 people. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured my husband of the boils, and we regard it a wonderful medicine." MRS. ANNA PETERSON, Latimer, Kansas.

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Shoulders ℔ ℔	6	@	6¼
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ℔ ℔	4¾	@	5
Shoulders ℔ ℔		@	4¼
BARRELS— Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each	1 00	@	1 10
New New York, each	1 35	@	1 40
New City, each	1 30	@	1 40
BEESWAX ℔ ℔	23	@	24
BRICKS—			
Wilmington ℔ M	6 50	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina ℔ ℔	15	@	
Northern	23	@	
CORN MEAL—			
Per Bushel, in sacks	40	@	42½
Virginia Meal	40	@	42½
COTTON TIES— ℔ bundle		@	1 00
CANDLES— ℔ ℔—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	9	@	10
CHEESE ℔ ℔—			
Northern Factory	10	@	11
Dairy, Cream	11	@	12
State		@	10
COFFEE— ℔ ℔—			
Laguyra	20	@	
Rio	10	@	16
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard		@	5¼
Yarns ℔ bunch	18	@	20
EGGS— ℔ dozen		@	10
FISH—			
Mackerel, No 1, ℔ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No 1, ℔ half-barrel	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No 2 ℔ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No 2 ℔ half-barrel	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No 3, ℔ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	3 00	@	3 0[illegible]
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel	5 75	@	6 50
N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 00	@	3 25
Dry Cod, ℔ ℔	5	@	10
" Extra	3 35	@	3 50
FLOUR— ℔ barrel—			
Low grade		@	3 75
Choice		@	4 50
Straight	5 00	@	5 25
First Patent	5 50	@	5 75
GLUE— ℔ ℔—	7½	@	8½
GRAIN— ℔ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bags—White	42½	@	45
Corn, cargo, in bulk—White	40	@	42½
Corn, cargo, in bags—White	40	@	42½
Oats, from store	30	@	32½
Oats, Rust-Proof	40	@	45
Cow Peas	45	@	50
HIDES, ℔ ℔—			
Green		@	16
Dry		@	8
HAY, ℔ 100 ℔s—			
Eastern		@	1 05
Western		@	90
North River		@	85
HOOP IRON, ℔ ℔	2	@	2½
LARD, ℔ ℔—			
Northern	5½	@	6¼
North Carolina	6	@	10
LIME ℔ barrel		@	1 25
LUMBER (city sawed), ℔ M feet—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough-edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	22 00
Scantling and Board, common	14 00	@	15 00
MOLASSES, ℔ gallon—			
New Crop Cuba, in hhds		@	22
" " " in bbls		@	23
Porto Rico, in hhds	27	@	29
" " in bbls		@	30
Sugar-House, in hhds	12	@	14
" " in bbls	14	@	15
Syrup, in bbls	15	@	
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut 60d basis		@	2 00
PORK, ℔ barrel—			
City Mess	9 00	@	9 25
Rump		@	9 75
Prime		@	8 75
ROPE, ℔ ℔	10	@	22
SALT, ℔ sack, Alum		@	75
Liverpool		@	65
Lisbon		@	
American		@	65
On 125 ℔ Sacks	40	@	45
SHINGLES, 7-inch, ℔ M	5 00	@	6 50
Common	1 60	@	2 25
Cypress Saps	2 50	@	3 50
SUGAR, ℔ ℔—Standard Granu'd		@	[illegible]
Standard A		@	[illegible]
White Ex. C		@	[illegible]
Extra C, Golden	4	@	[illegible]
C Yellow		@	[illegible]
SOAP, ℔ ℔—Northern	3¼	@	4
STAVES, ℔ M—W. O. barrel	8 00	@	14 00
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ℔ M feet—Shipping		@	9 00
Mill, Prime		@	7 00
Mill, Fair	6 50	@	4 50
Common Mill	4 00	@	2 50
Inferior to Ordinary		@	3 00
TALLOW, ℔ ℔	4	@	
WHISKEY, ℔ gallon—Northern	1 00	@	2 00
North Carolina	1 00	@	1 50

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

SCHEDULE IN EFFECT JAN. 19, 1897.

DEPARTURES FROM WILMINGTON—NORTHBOUND.

DAILY 9.25 A M — No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 10.51 a m, Warsaw 11.11 a m, Goldsboro 12.01 a m, Wilson 12.46 p m, Rocky Mount 1.20 p m, Tarboro 2.50 p m, Weldon 3.39 p m, Petersburg 5.33 p m, Richmond 6.40 p m, Norfolk 6.05 p m, Washington 11.10 p m Baltimore 12.53 a m, Philadelphia 3.45 a m, New York 6.53 a m, †Boston 3.30 p m

DAILY 7.15 P M — No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.55 p m, Warsaw 9.10 p m, Goldsboro 10.10 p m, Wilson 11.06 p m, †Tarboro 6.45 a m Rocky Mount 11.55 p m, Weldon 1.44 a m, †Norfolk 10.30 a m, Petersburg 3.24 a m, Richmond 4.20 a m, Washington 7.41 a m, Baltimore 9.05 a m, Philadelphia 11.21 a m, New York 2.03 p m, Boston 8.30 p m.

SOUTHBOUND.

DAILY 3.25 P M — No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.33 p m, Chadbourn 5.04 p m, Marion 6.05 p m, Florence 6.45 p m, Sumter 8.45 p m, Columbia 10.05 p m, Denmark 6.20 a m, Augusta 8.10 a m, Macon 11.00 a m, Atlanta 12.15 p m Charleston 10.30 p m, Savannah 12.50 a m Jacksonville 7.30 a m St. Augustine 10.30 a m, Tampa 4.45 p m,

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 5.45 P M — No. 49—Passenger—Leave †Boston 1.03 p m, New York 9.00 p m, Philadelphia 12.05 a m, Baltimore 2.50 a m, Washington 4.30 a m, Richmond 9.05 a m, Petersburg 10.00 a m, Norfolk 8.40 a m, Weldon 11.50 a m, Tarboro 12.12 p m, Rocky Mount 12.45 p m, Wilson 2.12 p m, Goldsboro 3.10 p m, Warsaw 4.02 p m, Magnolia 4.16 p m.

DAILY 9.30 a m — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9.30 a m, Philadelphia 12.09 p m, Baltimore 2.25 p m, Washington 3.46 p m, Richmond 7.30 p m, Petersburg 8.12 p m, †Norfolk 2.20 p m, Weldon 9.43 p m, †Tarboro 6.05 p m, Rocky Mount 5.45 a m, leave Wilson 6.20 a m, Goldsboro 7.03 a m, Warsaw 7.53 a m, Magnolia 8.06 a m.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 12 15 p m — No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 9 25 a m, Sanford 2.19 p m, Jacksonville 7 00 p m Savannah 12.45 night, Charleston 5.30 a m, Columbia 5.50 a m, Atlanta 7.15 a m, Macon 9.00 a m, Augusta 2.45 p m, Denmark 4.55 p m, Sumter 7.12 a m, Florence 8.55 a m, Marion 6.45 a m, Chadbourn 10.35 a m, Lake Waccamaw 11.06 a m.

†Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 4.10 p m, Halifax 4.28 p m, arrive Scotland Neck 5.20 p m, Greenville 6.57 p m, Kinston 7 55 p m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7 20 a m, Greenville 8.22 a m Arriving Halifax at 11 00 a m, Weldon 11.20 a m, daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 a m and 2 00 p m, arrive Parmele 8.50 a m and 3 40 p m; returning leave Parmele 9 50 a m and 6 30 p m, arrives Washington 11 25 a m and 7.20 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily at 5.30 p m, arrives Plymouth 7.40 p m. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily at 7.3 a m, Arrive Tarboro 9.50 a m.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 7 10 a m; arrive Smithfield, N. C., 8 3 a m. Returning, leave Smithfield 9 00 a m, arrive Goldsboro, N. C., 1 25 a m.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 4.30 p m, arrives Nashville 5.05 p m, Spring Hope 5 30 p m. Returning leaves Spring Hope 8 a m, Nashville 8 35 a m; arrive Rocky Mount 9 05 a m, daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton Daily except Sunday at 11.13 a m and 4.10 p m; returning leave Clinton at 7.00 a m. and 3.00 p m.

Florence Railroad leave Pee Dee 9 10 a m, arrive Latta 9.30 a m, Dillon 9 42 a m, Rowland 10 01 a m, returning leaves Rowland 5 38 p m, arrives Dillon 5.56 p m, Latta 6.09 p m, Pee Dee 6.30 p m, daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Hub at 8.30 a m, Chadbourn 10.40 a m, arrive Conway 1.0 p m, leave Conway 2 25 p m, Chadbourn 5.20 p m, arrive Hub 6.00 p m, Daily except Sunday.

Central of South Carolina Railroad leave Sumter 6 41 p m, Manning 7.10 p m, arrive Lane's 7 48 p m, leave Lanes 8.26 a m, Manning 9.05 a m. arrive Sumter 9.35 a m. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lanes 9.30 a m, 7 10 p m, arrive Georgetown 12 m, 8.30 p m, leave Georgetown 7 a m, 3 p m, arrive Lanes 8.25 a m, 5.25 p m, Daily except Sunday.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 2.05 p m, 11.16 p m, arrive Selma 2.50 p m, Smithfield 2.58 p m, Dunn 3.35 p m, Fayetteville 4.15 p m, 1.10 a m, Rowland 5.38 p m, returning leave Rowland 10 00 a m, Fayetteville 11.20 a m, 10.20 p m, Dunn 12.07 a m, Smithfield 12.48 p m, Selma 1.00 p m, arrive Wilson 1.42 p m, 12 10 p m.

Manchester & Augusta Railroad train leaves Sumter 4 40 a m, Creston 5 2 a m, arrive Denmark 6 20 a m. Returning leave Denmark 4 55 p m, Creston 5 47 p m, Sumter 6 40 p m Daily.

Pregnalls Branch train leaves Creston 5 45 a m, arrive Pregnalls 9 15 a m Returning leaves Pregnalls 10 p m, arrives Creston 3 50 p m Daily except Sunday.

Bishopville Branch trains leave Elliott 11.10 a m and 7.45 p m, arrive Lucknow 1 p m and 8.45 p m, Returning leave Lucknow 6 05 a m and 2 00 p m, arrive Elliott 8 25 a m and 3 30 p m,

†Daily except Sunday. *Sunday only.

H. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Passenger Agent.

J. R. KENLY, Gen'l Manager.

T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager. jan 21 tf

W., N. & N. Railway.

In Effect Sunday, May 17, 1896

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

NORTH BOUND #6	NORTH BOUND #8	STATIONS.	SOUTH BOUND #7	SOUTH BOUND #5
A M	P M	—WILMINGTON—	P M	P M
	2 00	Lv...Mulberry street...Ar	12 4[illegible]	
7 00	2 10	Lv....Surry street.....Ar	12 30	3 25
9 50		Ar ..Jacksonville.......Lv		12 05
11 00	3 58	Lv " ....Ar	10 43	10 2[illegible]
11 58	4 30	Lv...Maysville..........Lv	10 09	9 18
12 30	4 44	Lv...Pollocksville......Lv	9 55	8 50
1 30	5 2[illegible]	Ar...Newbern............Lv	9 20	8 10
	P M		A M	

Nos. 5 and 6 mixed trains.

Nos. 7 and 8 passenger trains.

Trains 8 and 7 p m make connection with trains on A. & N. C. R. R. for Morehead City and Beaufort.

Connection with Steamer Neuse at Newbern to and from Elizabeth City and Norfolk Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Steamer Geo D. Purdy makes daily trips between Jacksonville and New River points.

*Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

‡Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

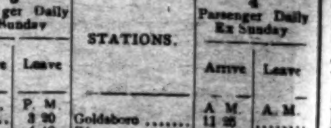
†Daily except Sunday.

H. A. WHITING, General Manager.

J. W. MARTENIS, Traffic Manager. my 23 tf

Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad

Time Table.



In Effect Wednesday, May 27th, 1896.

GOING EAST. 3 Passenger Daily Ex Sunday — Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Passenger Daily Ex Sunday — Arrive	Leave
P M.	P. M.		A M.	A. M.
....	3 20	Goldsboro		
....	4 12	Kinston........	11 25	
5 15	5 25	Newbern	10 32	
6 37	6 42	Morehead City.....	9 17	9 30
P M	P M		8 0[illegible]	8 17
			A. M	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11 35 a. m., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.0 p. m., and with W. N. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3 00 p m., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 p m. No. 1 train also connects with W. N. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE January 29.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 25½ cents per gallon for machine made casks, and 24¾ cents for country casks.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1 45 per bbl for Strained and $1 50 for Good Strained.

TAR.—Market steady at 95 cents per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Quiet. Hard 1 30, Soft 1 80 per barrel.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine 27@26½c; rosin, strained $1 35, good strained $1 40, tar $0 95, crude turpentine $1 50, 1 90.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	4
Rosin	534
Tar	108
Crude Turpentine	00

Receipts same day last year—24 casks spirits turpentine 2 518 bbls rosin, 55 bbls tar, 16 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 6¾c for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	4⅝	cts ℔ ℔
Good Ordinary	5⅝	" "
Low Middling	6⅜	" "
Middling	6¾	" "
Good Middling	6 9-16	" "

Same day last year, middling 7⅞c.

Receipts—506 bales; same day last year 561.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina—Prime: 40@50c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 55c; Fancy, 60@65c. Virginia—Extra Prime, 60@65c; Fancy, 65@70c.

CORN—Firm; 38 to 40 cents per bushel.

ROUGH RICE—65@70 cents per bushel.

N. C. BACON—Steady; Hams, 8 to 11½c per pound; Shoulders, 6 to 7c; Sides, 7 to 8c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five inch hearts and saps, $1.60 to 2 25; six inch, $2.50 to 3.50, seven inch $5 50 to 6 50.

TIMBER—Market steady at $3.00 to 7.50 per M.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK January 29—Evening.—Money on call was easy at 1½@2 per cent; last loan at 1½ per cent closing offered at 1½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3@3½ per cent. Sterling exchange was easier, with actual business in bankers bills at 484¾@485 for sixty days; 486¾@487 for demand Commercial bills 483¾@484¼. Government bonds were strong. United States coupon fours 112¾; United States twos 96; State bonds dull; North Carolina fours 102; North Carolina sixes 122. Railroad bonds firm.

Silver at the Stock Exchange to day was easier.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, January 29—Evening.—Cotton steady; middling 7 5 16c.

Cotton futures—market closed quiet; February 6 97, March 7 03 April 7 08 May 7 14, June 7 19, July 7 23, August 7 23, September 6 87, October 6 75, November 6 75, December 6 80. Sales 76 600 bales.

Cotton—net receipts 1,389 bales; gross 3,254 bales; exports to Great Britain —— bales; to France —— bales; to the Continent 50 bales; forwarded 1,043 bales; sales 1,600 bales; sales to spinners 900 bales; stock 293,723 bales.

Weekly—Net receipts 2,199 bales; gross 21,682 bales; exports to Great Britain 6,665 bales; to France 825 bales; to the Continent 5 907 bales; forwarded 5 581 bales; sales 4,994 bales, sales to spinners 1,194 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 20 864 bales; exports to Great Britain 11 584 bales; to France —— bales; to the Continent 8,743 bales, stock 1,064 703 bales

Total so far this week—Net receipts 140 313 bales; exports to Great Britain 80,187 bales; to France 845 bales; to the Continent 58,933 bales.

Total since September 1—Net receipts 5,562,924 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,281,415 bales; exports to France 490 318 bales; exports to the Continent 1,322 927 bales.

Flour was quiet, steady and unchanged; Southern quiet, steady and unchanged, common to fair extra $3 30@3 65; good to choice $3 75@4 05. Wheat—spot was active for export and lower, closing steady; No. 2 red free on board 93c; ungraded red 78@93c; options opened weak and declined ⅜@⅝c, rallied ⅜@1½c. and closed unsettled at ⅜@⅝c N. 2 red January 82½c; March 83½c, May 81c; July 78½c Corn—spot dull and firmer; No 2 28¾@29c at elevator and 29¾@30c; options were dull and firm at ⅜@⅝c advance; January 29c; May 31¼c; July 31¾c. Oats—spot dull but firmer; options quiet and firmer; January 21¼c; February 21½c; May 22c⅜. spot prices—No. 2, 21¾c; No. 2 white 24c. mixed Western 22@24c. Lard quiet and weak; Western steam $4 12½; city $3 40 3 65; January $4 15; refined dull; Continent $4 45, South America $4 70; compound $4 25@4 50 Pork quiet and easy. new mess $8 25@9 00. Butter—fancy was firm, with a moderate demand State dairy 10@15c; do. creamery 13@15c; Elgins 20½c Eggs weaker; State and Pennsylvania 14@18½c; ice house —c. Western fresh 17@17½c; do. per case $3 00@3 00; Southern 16@17½c. Cotton seed oil quiet and rather weak; crude 20 yellow prime 23c. Rice fairly active, firm and unchanged. Molasses quiet and unchanged. Peanuts quiet; fancy hand-picked 3¾c. Coffee was steady and unchanged to 5 points up; March $9 85, May $9 40 July and September $9 45 December $9 45@9 50; spot Rio dull and easy; No. 7 $9 75 Sugar—raw quiet and steady; fair refining 2 13 16c; refined dull and unchanged.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Cash quotations: Flour dull, easy and prices unchanged. Wheat—No. 2 spring 71¾@74c. No 2 red 82@83¾c, Corn—No 2 22¾@22⅞c Oats—No 2 16@16½c. Mess pork $7 80 @7 85. Lard, $3 85@3 90 Short rib sides, loose, $3 87½@4 12½ Dry salted shoulders, boxed $4 25@4 50 Short clear sides, boxed, $4 12½@4 25. Whiskey $1 17.

The leading futures ranged as follows, opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—January 73½, 73⅝ 71¼ 73c; May 74½@74⅝ 75⅜ 73 74⅝@74⅝c, July 71@71¼ 73¼ 70 71⅝c Corn—January 21⅝ 21⅝ 21⅝, 21⅝c May 23⅞ 24¼ 23⅞ 24⅜c; July 25 25⅛@25⅜ 25 25⅛c Oats—No 2 January 15 16, 15 15⅞ May 17⅞@17⅛, 18⅞ 17⅞ @17⅞ 18@18⅛c; July 18⅛, 19⅛, 18⅛, 19c Pork—January $7 70, 7 75 7 70 7 75 May $7 77½ 7 87½ 7 77½ 7 85 Lard—January $3 87½ 3 87½ 3 87½, 3 87½ May $3 97½ 4 02½ 3 97½, 4 00. Short ribs—January $3 97½ 3 97½, $3 97½, 3 97½; May $4 00 4 05, 4 00, 4 02½.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 29.—Flour dull; Western superfine $2 65@3 00; do extra $3 25@3 90, do family $4 25@4 60; winter wheat patents $4 75@5 00; do spring $4 40@4 65; do straight $4 20@ Wheat dull; spot 86⅜c bid, May 82⅜ @82⅝c; Southern by sample 87@88c. do on grade 83@87c. Corn firmer; spot and January 25¼@25⅜c; February 25⅜@25⅝c; March 26⅛@26½c; April 27¼@27⅜c. Steamer mixed 23⅛@23⅜c Southern white 22@27c; do yellow 21⅛@26½c. Oats quiet; No. 2 white 24@24½c; No. 2 mixed 21@22c.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

January 29.—Galveston, quiet at 7, net receipts 9 468 bales Norfolk quiet at 6 15 16, net receipts 918 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 7 5 16, net receipts 895 bales; Boston, quiet at 7 5 16, net receipts 886 bales, Wilmington, steady at 6¾, receipts 506 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 7 9 16c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, quiet at 6 13 16 net receipts 3,760 bales. New Orleans, quiet at 7, net receipts 4,169 bales; Mobile, quiet at 6⅞ net receipts 3 143 bales; Memphis, steady at 6 15 16 net receipts 580 bales; Augusta, steady at 7⅛ net receipts 630 bales; Charleston, firm at 6 15 16, net receipts 1 519 bales

FOREIGN MARKETS

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 29—12.30 P. M.—Cotton, demand fair and prices easier. American middling 4d. Sales 10 000 bales, of which 9 900 were American; speculation and export 1 000 Receipts 2 000 bales, of which 1 500 were American. Futures opened quiet and demand moderate. American middling (m c) January and February 3 58 64d. February and March 3 58 64d; March and April 3 58 64d. April and May 3 59 64d; May and June 3 60 64d June and July 3 61-64d; July and August 3 61-63d. Futures quiet.

Tenders at to-day's clearings 2,100 bales new docket and 100 bales old docket.

12.45 P. M.—American spot grades 1 32d lower. American middling fair 4 13 32d; good middling 4 3 32d middling 3 13 32d; low middling 3 27 32d; good ordinary 3 23 32d; ordinary 3 17 32d.

4 P. M.—American middling (m c) January 3 57 64@3 58 64d buyer, January and February 3 57 64@3 58 64d buyer; February and March 3 57 64@3 59 64d buyer; March and April 3 59 64d buyer; April and May 3 59 64d seller; May and June 3 59 64@3 60 64d seller; June and July 3 60 64d seller; July and August 3 60 64@3 61 64d seller; August and September 3 59 64d seller; September and October 3 52 64d buyer; October and November (unofficial) 3 48 64d.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 29.—The following are the weekly cotton statistics: Total sales of the week 64,000 bales, American 59,000, trade takings, including forwarded from ships' side 61,000; actual exports 3,000; total imports 126,000; American 109,000; total stocks 1 250,000, American 1,097,000; total afloat 199,000. American 290,000; speculators took 7 410, exporters took 1 700.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Schr Sebago, 293 tons, Thompson, New York, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Stmr A P Hurt, Robeson, Fayetteville, James Madden.

CLEARED.

Stmr A P Hurt, Robeson, Fayetteville, James Madden.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 30, 1897

SCHOONERS.

Nellie Floyd 425 tons, Johnstone, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

B I Hazard, 373 tons, Blatchford, Geo Harriss Son & Co.

Roger Moore 312 tons, Miller, Geo Harriss Son & Co.

Wm F Campbell, 168 tons, J T Riley & Co.

Marion Hill, 193 tons, Armstrong, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Dove (B), 168 tons, Esdale, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Wm Linthicum, 148 tons, Brannock Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

R A Snow, 165 tons, Pillsbury Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

W C Wickham 316 tons, Evan, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Ida C S hoofcraft 306 tons, Boyce, Geo Harriss S n & Co.

Morancy, 160 tons, Torrey, J T Riley & Co.

BARQUES.

Flora (Nor), 501 tons, Strausbo J T Riley & Co.

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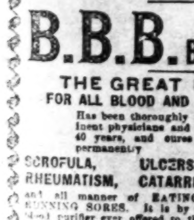

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January 1st, 1897.

E. HEWLETT, Sheriff.

NAMES.	Block	Lots or Description.	Tax and Costs
Alderman, Mrs Alice G	291	n w ½ 2	6 00
do	292	part 1 and 2	
Alderman, Mrs Laura	306	s w ½ 2	5 35
Alderman, Mrs Mary J.	206	e m 5	24 70
Alderman, W H	58	m 3 4	6 25
Aldrich, Jos	335	e 3	6 25
Alexander, Enoch	36	s e ½ 2	5 80
Alexander, F P	147	e m 2	6 48
Alexander, Jerre A	147	e m 1	5 80
Amy, Addie	224	e m 1	3 10
Amy, Burrell	224	e m 1	4 90
Ancrum, Brisband	324	w m 1	1 84
Anderson, Elizabeth	60	e 1 2	4 45
Anderson, Ellen	149	s e ¼ 4	3 10
Anderson, William	58	e 3 4	6 25
Ashe Richard	81	w 1 and 2	6 25
Austin, Henry	134	e m 1	4 90
Austin, John J	238	w m 1 2	
do	255	n e 3	12 12
Barge, Ben C	149	e ¼ 4	5 80
Battle, heirs Jos	349	e 3 4	1 66
Beery, heirs Mrs Julia A	88	w ½ 5	8 95
Bell, Salem J	4	s w & n w 6	
do	119	w 4	11 53
Bennett, heirs John	309	e 5	3 55
Berry, John	241	e ½ 5 ½ int	1 72
Berry, Richard	241	e ½ 5 ½ int	4 45
Best, Robt W	207	e 4	14 17
Betts, T H	45	s w ¼ 4	4 45
Biddle, heirs Julia A	78	w 1 2 3	5 66
Bishop, heirs Mary E	213	s w 1	3 55
Blackwell, Martha J	338	w 5	3 55
Blain, Carrie	52	pt e ¼ 6	2 20
Blaney, Laura	250	m 3 4	1 98
Blount, Caleb	175	m 3 4 5	6 70
Blount, Hannah	21	e m 4 5	
do	329	e 4 5	9 40
Blount, heirs Maggie	20	w 2	3 10
Boddie, Frank P	136	e 2	4 90
Bowden, Mrs Ann E	193	e 4 5 6	44 65
Bowden, heirs Mrs S C	181	w 5	18 85
Bowen, Martha	231	e 4 5	2 65
Bowen, Stephen	198	w 3	4 00
Bradley, David C	271	e m 5	6 25
Bradley, Lucy A	80	s w ½ 6	3 10
Bradley, Wm H	237	e m 3	6 25
Bremer, Mrs Mary A	101	e m 6	5 80
Brinkley, Susan	45	w m 2	
do	51	w 4	3 58
Broadhurst, Edward	106	n w ½ 5	5 02
Brown, Elizabeth	67	e 5 6	2 20
Brown, Alexander	56	s e ¼ 4	1 52
Brown, heirs Alfred	279	e and w m 1 2	6 25
Brown, Anna	296	n e 4	2 65
Brown, heirs Edward	225	e ½ 5	3 10
Brown, John Kent	226	w 3	2 65
Brown, Mrs Kate	326	e 1	
do	340	e ½ 2	
do	191	e ½ 1 2	
do	222	e ½ 3	
do	188	s w 3	
do	188	e m 3 4 5	
do	45	e ½ 5	
do	232	n e ¼ 4	
do	325	w 1 2 3 4 5	65 45
Brownell, Thos J	136	part 4	3 10
Bruard, Francis	42	w ¼ 4	
do	84	all 5 6	
do	585	all 5 6	4 71
Brunson, Robert	162	w m 3 4 5	5 35
Bryant, David	98	e m 1 2	9 85
Bryant, Duke	252	n e ¼ 3	4 45
Burnett, Allison	119	s w ¼ 3	4 00
Burnice, Reuben	236	s w ¼ 4	5 35
Burriss, Mrs S A	90	n e 1	5 80
Byrd, Edward	82	w 5 6	2 43
Byrd, Monroe	254	n m 1	6 70
Campbell, heirs Ben	119	e m 1 2	3 10
Campbell, Miss Sophy	168	w 2 3	40 45
C. F. & Y. V. Railroad Company	190	all 1 2 ¼ int in 3 4 also r't of way	594 64
Capps, Katie	294	e 2	3 55
Carr, Lelia	200	e 4	3 00
Carraway, Louise L	175	m 1 2	3 10
Carter, heirs Samuel	339	e m 5	2 65
Clark, James E	87	e ¼ 4 w ½ 2	9 61
Clark, Polly	309	w m 4	2 65
Cook, A B	73	w 1 2	20 20
Collins, Henrietta	583	n w 2	1 43
Collins, Sarah A	236	e ¼ 4	4 22
Collins, heirs William	37	e ¼ 4	2 65
Colvin, heirs Thomas	19	w m 4	1 98
Cordell, heirs Phillis	309	e m 1	2 43
Costin, Jane E	104	e 1	6 25
Cowan, D S, Trustee	177	e 1	82 30
		e 3	2 16
Cowan, heirs Sam	226	s e ¼ 3	3 10
Cotton, Wm H	290	e 2	6 70
Cotton, W H, Sr	239	w 1 2	
do	239	w ½ 5	23 10
Crandall, Jerre	149	n e 5	5 80
Cronly & Morris, Agt's for Mrs F E Poisson	128	part 1	
do	164	part 4 5	48 75
W & T Sessoms	34	w ½ 3	44 05
J M Cronly, Agent	198	w 4 5 6	46 30
Croton, Wesley	238	s w 3	8 05
Cumming, W M, Agent for Pratt, T J	170	e 1 2	10 30
Currie, Eli	255	n w ½ 3	3 10
Cutlar, Susannah	136	pt 1	2 20
Cutlar & Bellamy	73	w ¼ 6	8 95
Daggett, Mrs E R H	105	e 2	
do	161	e m 1 2 3	
do	482	s w 3 w m 4	
do	163	e m 4 5	
do	176	e 1 2	
do	486	part 1 2 3	40 10
Daggett, heirs W T	164	¼ int in w m 5	
do	164	¼ int in e m 4 5	51 00
Daniels C H	52	e 1 2 3 & w 6	9 62
Davis, Betsy Ann	119	e m 1 2	4 90
Davis, Mrs C J	233	e 3	18 40
Davis, Charles H	131	n w 5	10 58
Davis, James H	252	e m 1	3 10
Davis, Jos H	46	n 4	6 70
Davis, Lewis	118	s e 4	4 67
Davis, Lucy	237	w 3	4 90
Davis, heirs Louisa	46	w m 4 5	2 74
Davis, Primus	45	e 4	2 80
Davis, Mrs Sallie J	483	m 1 2 3 4 5	7 60
Davis, heirs Toney	45	e 4	3 10
Davis, Wesley	46	w 5 and 6	4 90
Deans, Mrs M H	159	e m 3 4 5	5 80
Dewey, Viney	19	s w ½ 2	2 65
Dickson, Sophia	68	w 4	2 43
Dixon, heirs Ed	254	w m 5	4 00
Dixon, heirs Jessie	255	w 1	3 10
Dixon, Stephen	106	e 1 2	5 80
Donaldson, Mills	239	part 1	7 60
Dudley, John W	295	n e ½ 3	3 55
Dudley, heirs Violet	349	e m 3 4	2 20
Durham, Dr J H	116	e ½ 5	89 78
Ellerby, B K	162	e m 3 4	2 65
Ellison, Alexander	56	n e 4	1 53
Ellison, Sophy	38	e ½ 6	1 52
Empie, S M	125	½ 8th int in 3	4 99
Epps, Rev Henry	239	n e ½ 3	5 58
Evans, David C	326	e m 2 3	
do	326	w m 2 3	5 10
Evans, heirs Julius	37	n w ½ 5	
do	256	w ½ 5	4 65
Evans, Martha J	68	w ¼ 4	3 10
Farrow, Mrs A	265	part 3 4	
do	308	part 5	
do	265	w ½ 5	
do	264	e ¼ 4	15 65
Farrow, Mrs M E	51	w 2	3 10
Ferguson, Sally	535	s e 2	2 65
Fishblate, S H	172	e m 3 4 5	
do	160	e m 1 2 3	68 55
Fleet, Mrs S C	104	w 1	14 80
Fonville, heirs Bryant	93	w m 1 2	4 00
Fonville, Nelson	42	e ¼ 4	1 98
Foster, Samuel	267	n e ¼ 4	3 55
Freeland, George	46	w 5	2 65
Freeman, Mrs Arra J	126	e 1	
do	248	s e 5	49 00
Freeman, Jacob	297	e 1	1 75
Freeman, Virgil A	284	e 5	6 65
Galloway, Charles	172	part 5	6 25
Galley, heirs Jas M	266	e ½ 1 2 part 3	
do	279	e ½ 5	17 70
Gardner, Laura	17	e w ½ 2	2 80
Gary, Paul	489	part 1 2 3	14 58
Gause, George	222	e m 5	6 83
Gause, Gracy Ann	281	e 1	4 45
Gause, Henry	337	e 2 3	5 57
Gause, Henry S	345	e 4	6 18
Geyer, John J	45	n w ¼ 1	9 63
Guyer, Quilla Ann	3	n w ½ 1	2 20
Gooden, Daniel	255	n w ½ 2	6 25
Gornto, heirs B L	336	w m 1 2	4 00
Grant, Mrs A A & Miss P V Lawton	177	e 2	
do	281	e ½ 3	
do	279	w ½ 3	31 30

NAMES.	Block	Description.	Tax and Costs
Grant, B L	80	n w 3	3 91
Grant, heirs John E	117	n w 6	9 49
Green, Henry & Josh	508	all 1	
do	508	w 1	
do	498	s 3 all 4 5 6	
do	499	w 3 4 5 6	6 68
Green, Hen & J J Jones	31	e 4 5 6	
do	36	w ½ 3	5 10
Green, H & J E Thomas	83	w 1 2	2 95
Green, Henry	47	e m 3 4 5 6	
do	67	e m 3 4 5 6	
do	68	all 2	
do	69	e 3 s w ½ 2 all 3	
do	82	e m 5 6	
do	37	e ½ 6	
do	588	all 6	
do	23	n e ½ 1 n e ¼ 4	
do	66	e 5 and 6	
do	50	w ¼ 6	
do	90	s e ¼ 4	
do	119	e m ¼ & n w 2	
do	56	n w ½ 3	
do	518	all 1	
do	20	n w 1	
do	43	e 1 2 e m 1 2	
do	38	e ½ 3 m 4	
do	84	all 4 5 6	40 97
Green, Joshua	281	e m 1 2	
do	284	e 1 2	
do	582	s e ¼ 4	5 61
Green, Wm Howe	67	w m 5 6	6 25
Greer, Mrs C	196	n e 4	4 45
Haar, M J C	108	s w ¼ 3	9 53
Hall, heirs Jos D	241	w ½ 5	5 70
Hall, Richard L	8	pt 4 5	
Hall, Richard L	187	pt 4 5	6 28
Hall, heirs Richard P	470	w ½	
Hall, heirs Richard P	300	e 3 4	
Hall, heirs Richard P	514	w ½ 5	4 40
Hall, Dr Wright	74	e 3	11 17
Hall, W C	489	e 2 3	2 20
Hall, W T	186	s w m 5	3 10
Hand, D	84	e 6 5	2 9
Hand, mrs D	248	m 5	4 90
Hansley, Barsheba	285	e 1	19 80
Hardwick mrs J	57	s w ¼ 4	3 10
Hargrave Hamilton	58	e 4	4 00
Harrington, Louis O	31	w ½ 1	6 00
Harriss, Thos M	103	s e ½ 3	33 80
Harriss, Josephine		e m 1	2 87
Harriss J W	83	e ½ 4	4 90
Harvey, rev J W S	51	w 1	5 81
Hawes, Archie	6	s w ½ 3	3 48
Hayes W M ar	209	e 4	4 68
Hayne, Daniel	7	m 3 4	3 10
Heisberger, P trustee	198	w 2 3	30 85
Herring Geo T	5 3	w ¼ 4	4 45
Hewlett, heirs A J	260	e 3	19 3
Hewlett, Harriet	15	e m 4 5	8 0
Hewlett, Martha S	117	w 1	15 48
Hill, Allen	34	m 3 4	5 33
Hill Caroline S	48	w 1 2 3	2 5
Hill, Louis	3	n e ¼ 4	7 61
Hill, Marshall H	813	e m ½ 2 s w ¼ 2	4 45
Hilton, Annie R	218	e ½ 1 2	18 85
Hinton heirs mrs J L	35	n w ¼ 4	1 84
Hodges, mrs C P	191	e 4 5 6	
Holmes, Francis C	191	e m 1	9 20
Holmes, John H	191	w 1	3 55
Holmes, heirs Richard F	191	e 1	7 37
Hooper, Geo H	67	e 5	3 5
Hooper, John H	254	e 2	6 2
Hooper heirs Thomas	325	w m 4	7 1
Howard, Andrew	19	n w ¼ 4 s w ¼ 3	5 33
Howard, Benjamin W	25	w m	4 90
Howard Eliza	239	w ¼ 4	4 0
Howard, Harry	40	w m 3 3	3 48
Howard, H W	66	w ½ 6	12 50
Howard, Josephine	185	e 2	1 94
Howard, Jas C	173	s w ¼ 4	7 15
Howard, Mary W trust	75	e m 3	
do	75	p al 3 3 4 5 & e 6	86 31
Howe, heirs Sophia	81	e 5	3 65
Howland, heirs Sam	185	e ½ 3	14 10
Hughes Alex	39	e 3	6 7
Hyman, heirs Wm	82	e ¼ 4	2 2
Jackson A. drw	349	e 1	3 10
Jackson, heirs Eliza A	29		
Jackson, John W	326	w m 1	8 9
Jacobs, Charles D	199	n e 2 3	2 43
Jones, heirs J	188	w 4 5	8 95
Jones, Virtue	3	w 1 2	33 10
Jarman, J T	3		4 43
Jenkins Emma	335	e 4	5
do	182	e m 4 5 6	
Jenkins, Jas C	9	e 1	6 4
Jenkins, Marian	148	e m 1	2 40
Johnson, Alex	199	m 1	3 0
Johnson, E F	4	w m 1	3 0
Johnson, Robert	175	w m 8	17 73
Jones, Alfred and wife	3	e 3	5 35
do	81	w m 1 3	
do	60	w m 1 2	
do	47	e 6	
do	211	w m 6	
do	65	p 4 6	14 05
Jones, heirs Ben	185	w m 1 2 3 4	3 0
Jones, E G & C	13	e 4 5	38 43
Jones, George	3	w 1	3 55
Jones, John	34	e 1	4 90
Jones, J H	27	e 1 2 1 4 5	3 00
Jones J J	485	w ½ 1	10 30
Jones, John S	79	m 2 3 4 e 2 3	6 90
Jones, Lena	17	w 4 5	9 0
Jones, Isaac jr	240	w 1	4 90
Jones, Palace	1	e p 6½	4 4
Jones, Ruby	2	e 3	5 68
Jones	100	e 6	4 4
Joyner, D J jr		s w 2 n w 3	9 94
Justice, T		w ½ 4	6 34
Keen, W G T		w ¼ 2	6 0
Kelley, C L			6 10
Kelly mrs Julia A			2 5
Kelly, Louisa		pt 4	21 75
Kellogg, Max A			2 65
Kellogg, Wm J		e 1 2	11 00
Kenan, mrs F J		w 1 2 3	7 06
Kennedy, Sarah J		w 4 5	4 10
Kennedy, L D			6 70
do		w m 3 3 4	
do		e 1	
Keys, heirs Richard		w 1	
King, Ben		w 1	1 75
King, B F		w 5	1 98
do		e 2 3	
do		s e ½ 3	
King, Hattie G		w ½ 6	33 38
King, J B		w 4 5	3 0
King, rev J P		w 5	8 10
King, mrs Mary E		e m 1 2	6 61
King, Martha S		n e 1 2 3	7 06
King, Wm J		w 5	12 88
LaMott mrs J W		e 5 6	6 0
Larrington, h's Dianah		½ 5	23 98
Larrington, Simon		½ 5	8 50
LeBon, Lucy A		w 4	4 28
Lee, Daniel		e 4	2 65
do		w 1	
do		w 5	
Leftwich, Ida		e 2 3	
do		e 3 4 5	13 85
do		e m 3	
LeGwin, L M		e m 3	
Leonard, George		w m 1 2	4 28
Lewis, heirs Geo		w ½ 5	9 85
Lewis, James		e 4 5	4 00
			2 6
Littleton Geo T		w m 5	6 70
Livingston, h's Bernetta		m 1 pt m 2	5 35
Livingston, Annetta		w m 5	2 65
Livingston, Harriett		e m 1 2 3	5 10
Lofton, Allen		e 1 2	2 10
Lloyd, Mike		w 3 4	78
Lloyd, heirs Robert		w 2 3	9 40
Love, heirs Alex		al 3	8 10
Love, I G		n e ¼ 3	8 40
Love, Louisa		n m 3 4	4 90
Lowry, Jas A		w 2	7 50
Lucas, Matilda		w m 4 5	4 90
Lumbson, Rosa B		e 3 4 5	11 0
Mason, J E		w 2	4 54
Mallett, Alex, Wm and Anna			2 65
Mallett, Chas R h's of		w ¼ 1	3 5
			12 10
			11 10
Mallett, W P		e 1	
Marshall, A J		e ½ 5	8 05
do		½ n e w 5 6	
do		e 1	
do		s m 3 4 5	
do		pt e ¼ 1 2	21 90
Mason, C T		w ½ 5	
do		n e ¼ 5	
do		n 6	20 20
Mauder, John		w 3 4	
do		n e 1	
do		1 2 3	56 60
Mauder, Martha F		w 3	19 10
Mayo, W K		w 3 4 5	21 10
Merrick mrs A C h's of		w m 1 4 3	19 30
Mebane, mrs Martha			32 10
Menningens, heirs mrs G		w 7 8	
do		w 5	20 40
Meier, Frank		m 1	8 4
Merrick, Margaret E		e m 5	3 55
Merrick, heirs Wm		e 4	9 40
Middleton, Lucy A	101	e ¼ 6	4 45
Mitchell, Jose h		e ½ 3	7 74
do John W	79	e 5 6	3 33
do Lizzie	168	w 4 5	3 0
Moore, E A	8	e ½ 6	10 9
do William	6	4	8 05
do John W	6	1 2	7 60
do Polly A	243	w ½ 2	4 90
Morrill, mrs J A		w ¼ 4	7 60
Morris, W & N	86	e ½ 3	14 10
Moseley, Abram		w 1 2	5 0
do Charles J		w ½ 6	1 75
do George	240	e ¼ 4	
do	3	e 6	
do Lucinda	3 9	w 2 3	6 74
do sah	47	w 6	1 75
Mulford, Maggie A	304	e 4 5	5 80
Murray, W	332	w m 4 5	4 00
McBryde, heirs Wm	18	w 1 2 3	6 47
McCabe, Mary	78	w 4	2 65
			4 45
McCartney, R R	51	w 5	6 25
McCormick, Sarah	348	w 1 2	3 10
McDonald, Reuben	30	w m 4	2 50
McDuffie, J N	48	s w 5 6	6 70
McFarland, John W	19	e 2	5 80
McKeller, heirs Cath		w 3	4 90
McKinney, Thomas	119	e 5 6	4 84
McKoy, Rhoine	39	e 3 4	2 61
McKoy, Frank	348	e 4 5	7 0
McKoy, Henry	3	e m 1	4 4
McKoy, Catherine B	10	e 1 2	80 0
McKoy, Robert	14	m 1 2	2 20
McKoy, R H	164	e 5	
do	15	w 4	
do	15	pt 3 4	
McKoy, W B	166	pt w m 4 5	99 35
do	180	p 2 3	
do	181	m 2	
do	217	w 2 3	46 06
McNeil, heirs Henrietta	7	e 1 2	4 90
McRae Chas H	297	e 1 2	7 15
Nixon, Kate J	230	w ½ 3	5 10
Nash, Wm H	210	e 1	13 60
Newkirk, Thomas	53	e ½ 1 e m 1	
do	254	n 2 e m 2	7 80
Nixon, George E	42	pt 1 2	
do	42	e 1 2	5 78
Nixon, Jane	2 3	s m 4 5	
do	330	e 1	
do	330	w 5	
Nixon, heirs Prince	479	w 1 2 3	8 45
do		w ½ 3	2 0
Nixon, Rosa	335	e 5	3 55
O'Connor, agent for Brink	7	w 4 5 6	
Burriss, heirs E E	81	e 4	3 10
Conway, rev A M	31	e m 1	3 10
Harriss, heirs Wm	330	e 4 3	4 00
Johnson, mrs Alice N	182	w m 4 5 6	23 30
Malory, mrs M	355	w 3 4 5	8 55
Raynor, mrs	355	s e ½ 2	2 0
Reed, heirs Hezekiah	5	e m 4	1 98
Morris, Francis heirs	3	1 1 2	
do	5	all 1 2 pt 3	
do	5	all 1 2 p 3 4	
do	5	all 1 2 3 pt 4 5	
do	3	all 1 3 4 5 6	
do	8	all 1 3 4 5 pt 6	
do	9	pt 1 2 3 4 5 6	
do	1	pt 1 2 3 all 4 5 6	
do	11	pt 3 3 all 4 5 6	
do	12	pt 2 3 4 1 5 5	
do	15	pt 4 5 5 6	
do	14	pt 4 5 1 6	
do	17	p 3 all 4 5 6	
do	18	pt 3 all 5 6	
do	19	pt 4 5 all 6	
do	20	pt 5 6	
do	21	pt 6	
do	1	n e l triangle	
do	1	pt 1 2	
do	29	pt 1 4 all 5 6	
do	2	pt 3 4 5 6	
do	3	pt 3 4 all 1	
do	5	pt 4 all 1	

NAMES.	Block	Description.	Tax and Costs
do	647	n 1 2 3 4	
do	518	all 1 ¼ 3 pt 4	
do	519	all 1 2 3 pt 4 5	
do	5 0	all 1 2 3 pt 4 5	
do	51	all 2 3 4 pt 5	
do	530	pt 5 5	
do	53	p 6	
do	544	al 1	73 74
Onslow, rev Jacob	11	3 4	4 90
Odd Fellows Lodge, I O O F	29	w ½ 3	1 55
Orrell, Robt C	84	r m 4 5	33 65
Owens, Catherine	118	w 6	4 45
Palmer, Wm	29	p 4 5	
do	13	w ½ 5	
do	29	e ½ 1	53 10
Payne, Louis H	219	s ½ 1	5 50
Penny, E N	51	m 1	6 9
Pettiford, heirs Mary E	310	3	14 66
Phillips, Lizzie	16	m 5	8 65
Phillips, Wm	21	e 4	4 45
Pierce, Andrew	69	e m 1	3 1
Pierson heirs John	310	w 1	8 65
Pitts mrs Lanna L	193	w ½ 5	14 10
Poe, Wesley	61	e m 1 2 3	10 0
Polvogt, C W	184	e 5	31 55
Price, Jas Henry	86	n w ¼ 4	
do	240	½ 3	4 45
Price, Wm E	475	4 5 6	4 45
Pugh, heirs John H	189	4 5	8 05
Purnell, Wm	68	w 1	2 0
Quick, Lham	213	m ½ 4 w m 1 2	
do	211	e ½ 3	10 00
Quince, Ed'a	3 9	e 3	8 85
Quince, Richard	3 7	w 3	5 35
Ramsey, Thomas J	35	w 4	2 4
Rand, heirs Rosanna	351	w 1 2	1 98
Reeves, B F	58	w ½ 6	5 35
Reese, Samuel	148	e 4 5	5 14
Reid, heirs Sam	63	w 1	
do	69	w 5 all 6	10 50
Reynolds, R A	221	m 3	10 30
Richardson, Margaret F	335	w 1 2	6 0
Ritter, G D	38	s w 5	6 13
Roberts, heirs Cumber	137	w 3	1 75
Roberts, heirs Daniel	175	e 1 2	2 87
Roberts, Lucy	35	e 4 5	1 97
Robinson, Anna	36	w 4	4 00
Robinson, heirs Agnes J	30	pt 2 3 5 all 4 6	
do	47	n w ½ 2	
do	81	n e 1 2	
do	149	n e ½ 3	10 40
Robinson, mrs M A	161	e 3 4 5	20 92
Ross, Mary	341	e ½ 2	3 10
Rountree, Dennis	335	e 5	3 65
Rowell, mrs Comfort	148	3 4	11 90
Rowel, Luella	46	e ½ 1 2	2 10
Rowell, Annie	278	w m 5	3 10
Rush, Samuel E	38	e 4 5	5 5
Russ, Harriet	56	w 5 5	5 10
Russ, Maria	35	w 1	2 65
Russ heirs Nelson	310	w 4 5	3 10
Ruland, mrs I N	31	w and 5	4 5
Ryan, heirs Allen	400	w 1 3	2 0
Sadgewar, Caroline	171	e 3	6 5
Sampson, Hattie	91	e ½ 4	4 00
do Jas	91	e 1	7 00
do Sarah	237	e ½ 5	8 50
Sanders Florence	337	e 1	2 65
Sandres S W	64	e ½ 4 5 w ¼ 5	
do	84	w 3	
do	219	e ½ 2	7 05
Santa, heirs Scipio	245	e ½ 3	5 75
Schulken, mrs Alice	21	w 3 4	23 80
Schulken, Chas	24	5	
do	335	w ½ 1	
do	51	e 4 5	
Schulken, C H	335	e 4 5	
Scott Bryan	300	w 1 2	19 0
Sellers, Jeff D	135	w m 3	55
Sellers, W Y	8	e m 3	18 00
Sharp, Jas S	6	w 3 4	4 51
Caroline and J Walker			4 90
Shepard, heirs Mitchell	85	w 1 2	1 00
Sheridan John A	38	w 1	2 00
Sheridan, Rachel	5 8	1 4	1 75
Shober heirs Jas F	1	½ 4 ½ 3	3 91
do	134	½ 5	
Shuburn, Walter	3 6	n e ½ 1	18 88
Simmons, Francis	16	w m 2 3	5 28
Simmons, Robert	3	1 2 n e ¼ 3	5 80
Simmons, Sarah	8	s ¼ 2 3	4 91
Simmons, rev L B	2 8	w 5	8 10
Skipper, Rufus B	3	e 1 2	7 60
Smith, heirs Lucy	8	e 3 4	6 47
Smith, heirs Mariah	378	m 5	3 1
Smith, Mary E	87	m 1	9 55
Smith heirs Phillis	2	e 2	7 15
Smith, Peter J	8	e 1	7 0
Smith Robt W	173	1 2 3	9 40
do	1 7	w 6 ½ s w ¼ 4	
do	310	e 4 5 ½ 1	14 5
Smith, Susie	4	s e 3	3 10
Smith, Samuel L	264	e 4 5	16 62
Southerland, mrs C B	17	w 4	
do	17	w 3 4 5	
do	67	w m 5 6	53 45
Stancil, Wm	2 2	e 1	4 9
Stanford, Gilson	276	½ block	137 2
Staley, Wright	33	e m 1 2	2 21
Steadman & Bellamy		w 6 6	
Steadman & Worth	197	w 5	21 55
Stent, Hattie	86	½ int in w m 1	4 9
Stevens, mrs D M	99	1 2 3 4	30 10
Strouse Jessie	305	p 3 4	34 60
Strickland, heirs R J	297	w m 1	4 00
Sullivan Abbie	294	w m 1	4 4
Swann, Vraus	78	w ½ 3	9 86
Sykes, John	583	w 4	2 43
Taylor, heirs Amy	340	w 2	2 43
Taylor, mrs A R	190	w m 1 2	2 88
do	232	w 4 5	23 55
Taylor, John		w 5	9 40
Telfair, rev J W	228	m 4 5	
do	96	e ¼ 4	10 46
Thomas, Adolphus	16	w m 1 2 3	8 50
Thomas, Frank	239	p 3	4 32
Thomas, heirs John	37	2 3	8 5
Thomas, heirs Robert	309	e 1	4 5
Thompson, Jacob	51	w 1	77
Thurber heirs Wm H	3	e 1	6 70
Torrence, Amelia	806	e m 4 5	2 43
Toy Janey	19	w m 4	4 45
Turner, heirs H K	174	w m 4 5	4 4
Turner John H	4	e 5 6 6½	10 3
Turner, Pompey	350	e w 3	2 43
Turner heirs Watson	349	w 4	4 45
Turrentine, John	19	e 1 2 3	43 60
Union Aid Associat'n	82	e 1 2 3	2 00
Vanderhorst, Edward	269	s e ½ 5	4 00
Vass, Laura and Annie Reed	162	w 1 2	1 66
Vollers, Mrs L H	104	pt e ¼ 4	10 30
" Gato	218	s w ¼ 4	7 35
"	584	w 5	7 92
Walker, Altimore	74	w m 1 2	8 95
" Ellen	105	e 1 n w 1	2 86
" Margaret Ann	337	w 4 5	2 88
Ward, Mrs Alice	51	n w ¼ 3	7 80
" Jonah	76	m 6	5 53
Warren, Geo A	52	w 2 3	5 73
" heirs Wm	32	n w ¼ 4	3 20
Washington, Thomas	82	n m 6	5 13
Wedge, Caroline	309	n w ¼ 2	3 55
Whitehead, heirs mrs E D	199	w 2	23 80
Wiggins, Mrs Anna M	127	e 5 6	29 20
Williams, Catharine	180	w 5	2 58
" Edward	225	n w ½ 2	5 80
" mrs Ida J	131	w 5 6	10 75
" Jane	147	e m 6 6½	4 00
" heirs L M	169	w m 1	10 53
" M I and L G Hill			3 10
" mrs M H McE	78	e 3 4	
" Peter	181	e 1	10 30
" Richard and Maggie	256	s w ¼ 2	3 10
" Stephen	198	w 1	7 15
Willis, Aaron	137	s w ¼ 4	5 80
" William	137	s e ¼ 4	2 88
Wilmington Park Co.	403	½ block	2 65
" "	404	all	
" "	405	e ½ 5	12 50
Winfield, mrs Ferdinand	65	e 3	
" "	212	w m 5	4 65
Wise, Jeffrey	325	e m 5	
Wortham, Benj	96	w ¼ 4	4 00
Wright, Allen	32	n e 4	4 90
" heirs Titus	227	e 1 2	5 80
Yarborough, Annie E	88	e 1	3 55
Yates, heirs D N	365	e 1	3 35
Yopp, mrs E H	104	n m 1	4 90
" heirs F V B	198	s e 9	4 45
" S F	265	e m 1	7 60
Zoeller, A H	77	e m 1 2	8 05

DELINQUENT,

Not listed as the law directs.

NAMES.	Bl'ck	LOT.	Tax and cost.
Ashe, Mollie A	208	e 3	3 10
Ashe, Sarah	220	e m 3 4	2 20
Adrian & Vollers	352	w 5	1 75
Banks, heirs W H	474	e 1	1 53
Burke, heirs A A	327	w 1 2	1 98
Boon, mrs Jane	294	n e ½ 5	6 25
Bowden, mrs Mary C	184	w 3	17 50
Bowden, H M	363	e 1	1 53
Boon, Margaret A	195	e 2	4 00
Byrd, A J	69	w 1	2 20
Bulches, mrs A	20	e ¼ 2	3 10
Bogan, Andrew	52	s e 3	1 58
Bradley, Mary C	79	e 1 2	1 75
Brown, Charles	38	s e ½ 2	3 55
Campbell, Joseph	554	w 1 2	2 43
Clemmons, John J	32	w ¼ 3	1 75
Colvin, James	149	e ½ 6 6 ½	3 10
Clinton, h's Lucretia	304	e 3 4	2 65
Cape Fear Lodge, I O O F	179	s e 1-4 4	10 30
Davis, Geo W	262	¼ interest in 2	6 70
Davis, heirs Hattie	225	s w 1-4 4	1 75
Davis, Lewis	213	s w 3 w 4	7 60
Davis, Margaret L	84	w 5	2 38
Devane, mrs C V	168	w 3 4	23 80
Durant, heirs James	229	w 3 4	2 20
Evans, John	229	w 1 2	2 65
Evans, Charlotte	160	w 1-4 4	
do	254	m 1	12 30
Evans, Cornelius	93	e m 1 2	2 65
Everett, Green	250	n e 1	3 10
Ebom, heirs Betsy	89	w m 5 6	2 20
Farrow, heirs Ben	78	e m 3 4	1 75
Forbes, heirs W H	296	e m 1 2	3 10
Felthause, mrs M A	287	w m 1	2 65
Flowers, Betsy	83	s e 1-4 5	1 75
Gafford, heirs Mary	48	w 3 4	2 20
Gardner, heirs T M	208	w ½ 2	8 50
Gause, Elizabeth	46	m 5 6	1 75
Gause, Lucretia	287	n e 3	8 65
Gordon, heirs London	46	e m 5 6	2 20
Halsey, heirs Elias	115	e 3 4	8 50
Harriss, L H	254	s w 1-4 4	3 55
Hill, Penny	52	m 6	1 53
Horwe, heirs Alfred	74	e ½ 6	3 55
Hankins, heirs Jim	81	e 2 3	2 20
Harriss, J H jr	68	e m 1	2 88
Harriss, mrs L J	102	n e 1-4 3	10 30
Hanover Land Im. Co	148	pt 3 4 5 6	
do	149	pt 3 4 5 6	13 65
House, Syrena	81	w 3 3	3 10
Hostler, Caroline	81	s e 1-4 5	2 20
Hill, Milly and F Wheeler	240	w 4	2 65
Harrison, F	160	s w 4	4 00
Ivory, Caroline	119	n e 4	2 65
Jackson, Henrietta	229	e m 3 4 5	2 65
James, William	35	w 5	2 20
Jones, James	119	n e 4	3 45
Jones, C H	337	e 1 2 m 4 5	3 10
Johnson, Wright	352	w 1	1 75
Jordan, W A	89	pt 4	4 00
Jury, Matilda	269	m 5	3 10
King, John B	85	w 2 3	4 50
Kellogg, heirs Wm	80	e 1	
do	82	w m 6	
do	519	all 1	4 00
King, W E	58	w 3 4	1 98
Larkin, Dolly	236	e 3	3 10
Lewis, heirs John	56	s e 1-4 3	1 53
Loftin, Isaac	32	e m 1	2 65
Lawrence, P M	518	s e ½ 5	1 48
Lasson, Thomas	19	pt w ½ 4	2 43
Moore, Rose and Lincoln	187	pt 1 2 3	3 10
Morgan, heirs Abner	308	e pt 5	2 65
Mosely, Alice M	308	e pt and w pt 1	1 75
Mosely, Walter	254	w 1 2	1 75
Merrick, h's Cynthia	315	w 3	3 80

NAME.	Bl'ck	LOT	Tax and cost.
Merrick, heirs Sam	66	n w 1-4 3	3 55
Mills heirs Amanda	55	w m 6	
do	51	m 6	4 65
Mills, Van J	52	w 6	
do	80	m 1 2 3 e 4 5	21 55
Mitchell, J W	161	e 1-4 1	5 35
Moore, Simon	366	e 2	4 90
Merrick, heirs Jessie	205	w 6	1 55
Merrick, heirs Maria	213	w m 1	8 05
Merrick, h's Sam jr	29	w m 3 4	2 63
McCook, John D	30	all 1 2 3 pt 4	
do	347	all 2 3 pt 1	62 4
McKey, Simon	277	e 4 5	41 5
McBryde, Susan A	200	e pt 1	4300
McNeil, John	336	s w 1-4 1	3 00
McKoy, John	336	e m 1	4 80
McKoy, Lucy	554	e m 1	3 10
McIntyre, Thos M	347	street lot	2 20
Neil, Edward	217	e 4	5 80
Oldenbuttel, J G	281	w 3 4	19 30
Payne, heirs Thos	327	w ½ 1	5 80
Peamon, Margaret	73	n e 1-3 1	2 43
Platt, heirs Jane	240	s w 1-4	3 10
Rasberry, Mrs A M	240	n w 4	4 00
Rasberry, C P	211	s w 4	3 55
Robinson, heirs Hagar	179	e m 6	4 45
Rothwell, mrs Laura	237	e 3	13 00
Russell, Sarah J	440	e ¼ 4	5 80
Shepard, Davs	281	n w 1-4 5	2 43
Smith, Sam	81	n w 4	3 55
Stephens, h's Martha	554	n e 6	3 10
Sharpless, S S	209	w 1	3 10
Stuby, J T	82	w m 5	2 65
Smith, Jas T	69	m 3	2 20
Southerland, Mary	351	e 5	3 65
Stanford, G W	17	w 1	1 53
Sellers, J F	119	e 1	1 93
Tatnall, Edward	260	s e 4	2 65
Tatnall, Nancy M	255	w 3 4	
do	254	m m 1	
do	336	e m 1	13 85
Thomas, Jane	253	w 3	2 65
Turner, Jas	338	m 2	2 65
Turner, heirs Jordan	229	e 4 5	3 10
Tucker, Josh	37	w 2 3	4 90
Unknown	224	w 1-4 4*	
do	522	m 2 3 4 5†	
do	522	all 1 2 pt 3‡	
do	525	pt 3	
do	550	all	
do	551	pt 1	
do	60	pt 1	12 91
Willis, Godfrey jr	60	w ½ 6	4 90
Willis, Godfrey sr	225	n e 6	2 55
Walton, R S	307	e m 3 4	2 20
Watters, heirs Maria	80	e 2 3	2 20
Williams, Sol	60	s e 1-4 2	1 65
Williams, Stephens H	339	s w 3	3 55
Williams, Hulda	145	e 4 5	3 20
Wilson, Martha	61	e 3 4	1 84
Watson, heirs S A	281	e ½ 3 4	7 15
Walker, Satira		n w 3	4 45
Young Men's Christian Association	208	all 5	136 30

* Formerly listed by G. F. Hidder.
† Formerly listed by W. A. Wright.
‡ Formerly listed by A. G. Ricard, receiver.

CAPE FEAR TOWNSHIP.

NAMES.	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
Bradley, John	15	Ad'g Mingo Foy	1 97
Brownell, T J	800	Ad'g Nix'nville	5 80
Cannady, George	5	Ad'g Hermit'ge	5 15
Davis, heirs Sam	25	DeRosset br'ch	3 10
Davis, Rachel H	3000	Rose Hill	37 30
Davis, Hannah	4	Rock Hill	1 75
Grady, Luke	5	Ad'g Hermit'ge	5 88
Hawkins, heirs W J	709	Vinegar tract	
do	1348	Rocky Run	96 90
Hansley, Owen D	60	Ad'g A J Grady	4 00
Hill, Annie	17	Rock Hill	3 37
Imperial Product Co	11	Smith's Creek	136 30
Jordan, Richard	5	Ad'g Worth	4 98
Jones, Hillery	5	Ad'g Kerr	1 53
Kerr, James A	109	Ad'g Lutterloh	11 91
King, Solomon	5	Wild Cat	4 54
Kirman, S W S	180	Mc'Ree plant'n	3 64
Ledley, Alexander	10	Ad'g Spellman	3 15
Locke, Rosetta	8	Ad'g B Bryant	2 02
Lutterloh, H	488	Renfern	23 80
Mallett, W P	25	Ad'g E Jones	3 55
Moore, Dennis	10	Ad'g Blossom	2 30
Moseley, James L	30	Ad'g Isiah Brin	8 09
Moseley, Zeb	4	Acorn branch	1 75
Newkirk, Essex	25	Ad'g Hermit'ge	3 86
Nixon, heirs Samuel C	143	Nixonville	6 70
Peregoy Jenkins Co	50	Ad'g Graffin	123 90
Phosphate Co	800	Castle Hayne	137 07
Post, Jas F	270	Fishing Creek	5 80
Potter, Mosy	8	Rock Hill	4 18
Robbins, G M	300	Cedar Hill	7 60
Shriver, Agnes	236	Ad'g Blossom	4 90
Smith, Wm	10	Ad'g Hermit'ge	3 01
Scott, Franklin	10	Ad'g J T Kerr	5 35
Spellman, Boston	12	Acorn branch	3 91
Tate, Robert H	5	Ad'g Garrell	4 72
Thomas, Mary A	30	Rock Hill	4 00
Wilson, heirs Ben	17	Ad'g Morgan	4 00
Wilson, Jas & Nancy	1	Rock Hill	1 53
Williams, Emanuel	10	Acorn branch	3 10

CAPE FEAR—DELINQUENT.

NAMES.	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
Northrop, S & W H	100	Waddell tract	4 00
Newton, heirs Georgia	17	Acorn branch	2 88
Price & Sadgwar	90	DeRosset br'ch	8 50
Thurston Zyphia	100	4 mile post	10 30
Unknown	330	Thornberry	10 30

FEDERAL POINT TOWNSHIP.

NAMES.	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
Duncan, Sarah A	86	Ad'g T Burnett	3 10
Fort Fisher Land Co	800	Fort Fisher	6 93
Farrier, Frank	18	Ad'g W Turley	2 51
Hanes, heirs Anthony	296	W A McNeal	
do	44	Piney Island	4 44
Johnson, Wiley	49	Ad'g Newton	3 10
Koch, W H M	300	Oak Island	6 93
King, W J	40	Ward tract	
do	50	Ad'g I English	3 30
McMellon, E H	75	Ad'g E Moore	1 84
McNeal, Wm A	160	Ad'g A A Hany	
do	30	Piney Island	8 53
do		Right of way	58 08
Smith, Robt W		Lot C'lina b'ch	3 78
Taylor, Henry B		Oyster garden	4 25
Yopp, W H		Lot C'lina b'ch	1 73

FEDERAL POINT—DELINQUENT.

NAMES.	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
Bache, Cane A	22	Ad'g Winner	8 50
Moore, Mrs E Joanna	2	Keg Island	1 75
McKoy, W B		Lot C'lina b'ch	1 53
Robinson, Alexander		Lot C'lina b'ch	5 80
Robinson, W A		Lot C'lina b'ch	5 80
Taylor & Corbett		Lot C'lina b'ch	1 75
Watson, Walter		Lot C'lina b'ch	5 35
Wescott, John A	300	Ad'g Freeman	6 70
Winner, Joseph L	141	Ad'g Freeman	15 35

HARNETT TOWNSHIP.

NAMES.	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
Batton, Oscar	20	Ad'g OBBatton	1 48
Button, Sam	20	Adjoining Foy & Grady	1 48
Best, R W	31	½ interest in Eden's land	5 35
Edens, Eugene	31	Ad'g C M Bonham	8 50
Ellis, Chas S		Wrightsville	33 70
Hines, W W		pt Ketchum's	7 19
James, John	4	Ad'j H Merrick	4 18
Jones, Pembroke		on Lee's creek	118 52
Jones, Hyman		pt J S Allen's	3 68
Kenan, Mrs T J	43	Monk place	
do	12	ad'g T Smith's	24 69
Ketchum, heirs C C	28	ad'g Westbr'k	3 91
Kelly, Joseph		pt J S Allen	4 00
Loftin, heirs Andrew	20	ad'g H Shepard	3 10
Moffitt, Mrs John L	212	on Lee's creek	17 05
Mastin, John		Wrightsville	4 12
Mebane, Martha C		Lot on Greenville Sound	21 80
McEachern, A O	49	near city	14 80
McKoy, W B	50	Hewlette's cr'k	
do	50	ad'g Williams	15 45
McFayden, J		East Wilm'gton	3 55
Nixon, John D	38	ad'g J Nixon	
do	11	ad'g J Nixon	7 57
Ocean Beach Co		Windmill, pipes &c	5 80
Poisson, Mrs F E		½ interest in Seaside Park	49 00
Pickett, Mrs Elizabeth	264	ad'g R K Bryan	4 00
Sidberry, Burwell	6	ad'g New Prospect church	3 10
Sidberry, Sarah	2	ad'g J S Allen	1 84
Schench, Mrs N W	8	ad'g W FAlex'r	4 90
Stokely, Mrs M A	12	Wrightsville	18 30
Smith, R W	23	2 mile bottom	12 01
Sneeden, Joseph S		Cedar island	1 51
United Sons & Daughters of Israel	11	pt J Lennox	2 47
Wright, Marion and Empie		Seaside Park	5 80
Walker, Gerrett	80	Bishop place	8 46
Walker, Maria G	800	ad'g Humphr'y	
do	150	ad'g H Shepard	43 80
Wilkinson, Frank	12	ad'g C HAlex'r	5 18
Wright, Mary E	2	Ketchum's ch	
do	63	Francis Bell	3 28
Blue, L A		Newkirk place	
do	2	Wrightsville	25 80
Jenkins, Mary B		lot beach	3 55
McKoy, R H	25	Hewlette's cr'k	
do	50	adg V Williams	4 20
Shepard, Dr J C	175	W B Cannady	
do	20	J T Foy	
do		½ interest in beach land	15 83

HARNETT—DELINQUENT.

NAMES.	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
Batton, Wm	20	ad'g Bryan & Tompkins	4 18
Futch, heirs D H		3-5 interest in 7 mile place	2 30
Flanner, Mrs A J		Summer Rest	6 70
Gardner, heirs T M	12	Ketchum ch	3 10
Livingston, C C		lot on beach	8 50
Monk, John Willis	128	adg Monk place	26 50
Poe & Strauss		lot on beach	1 75
Pritchard, Virginia L		Summer Rest	5 80
Pritchard, L L		do	2 43
Schulken, Chas		lot on beach	1 75
Whitlock, C M		do	8 60
Williams, Susan		pt S Mandy t'ct	2 43
Robinson, Mrs M A	175	Porter's Neck	25 70
Southerland, Mrs C B	75	Hopkin's place	
do	80	race track	
		Summer Rest	25 37

MASONBORO TOWNSHIP.

NAMES.	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
Costin, heirs Wm	55	Ad'g Rogers	3 55
Craig, S G	9	ad'g B Craig	4 45
Craig, S G	18	do	5 17
Call, A G	37	ad'g Spooner's	4 45
Campbell, Tom	17	ad'g J Smith	5 35
Davis, Louis	75	Masonboro adg	
	806	W S Warrock	8 80
Harriss, Thos B	193	pt Dr Anderson	5 90
Hewlette, heirs J A	14½	adg JJ Hewlett	
do	19	adg F M Bearly	6 50
Ives, John	2	adg King	1 66
Leonard, heirs Halifax	45	on river	3 30
Morrison, W R	1600	Bannum's cr'k	19 30
McKoy, Mrs T H	193	on sound	5 80
McKoy, R H	15	ad'g Hewlett	3 77
Ripley, heirs William	75	Watson's br'ch	2 43
Speed, heirs Hector	10	ad'g A Davis	1 73
Walton, M C	3	Purvine's cr'k	2 85
Wiggins, O A	2	ad'g Parsly's	3 80

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NAMES.	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
Curtis, heirs John	25	Purvine's Cr'k	1 75
Dudly, Mrs A J	2	Hewlette's cr'k	1 75
Telfairr, J W	4	do	4 95
N C Ins Co	600	Summer Hill	5 70
Wadell, Cato	2	ad'g W Melton	1 75

QUARTERLY MEETINGS.

Rev. R. C. Beaman, recently appointed by the North Carolina Annual Conference of the M. E. Church, South, Presiding Elder of the Wilmington District, has made his appointments for the first round, as follows:

Wilmington, at Market Street, January 31.

Wilmington, Bladen Street (night), January 31.

Burgaw circuit, at Rocky Point, February 6, 7.

Clinton circuit, at Keeners, February 13, 14.

Jacksonville and Richlands, at Jacksonville, February 20, 21.

Elizabeth circuit, at Elizabethtown, February 27, 28.

Kenansville circuit, at Kenansville, March 6, 7.

Onslow circuit, at Queen's Creek, March 13, 14.

Brunswick circuit, at Concord, March 20, 21.

Columbus circuit, Evergreen, March 27, 28.

Whiteville and Fair Bluff, Whiteville (night), March 28.

Waccamaw circuit, Shiloh, March 30.

Magnolia circuit, Magnolia, April 3, 4.

Bladen circuit, at Bethlehem, April 10, 11.

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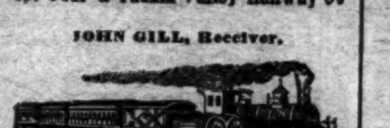

CONDENSED SCHEDULE.

IN EFFECT DECEMBER 20, 189 .

SOUTH BOUND DAILY No. 1.	MAIN LINE.	NORTH BOUND DAILY No. 2.
7 45 p. m	Ar....Wilmington....Lve	7 10 a. m
4 35 "	Lv....Fayetteville....Ar	11 00 a. m
4 18 "	Ar....Fayetteville....Lv	11 21 "
4 12 "	Ar Fayetteville Junc Lv	11 27 "
2 55 "	Lv....Sanford....Lv	1 00 p. m
2 43 "	Lv....Climax....L	2 55 "
2 15 "	Lv....Greensboro....Ar	3 25 "
11 55 a m	Ar....Greensboro....Lv	3 35 "
11 07 "	Lv....Stokesdale....Lv	4 28 "
10 32 "	Lv....Walnut Cove....Lv	4 55 "
9 04 "	Lv....Rural Hall....Lv	5 25 "
8 40 "	Lv....Mt Airy....A	6 10 "

SOUTH BOUND DAILY No. 3.	Bennettsville Division.	NORTH BOUND DAILY No. 4.
7 52 p m	Ar...Bennettsville...Lv	8 30 a. m
6 17 "	Lv...Maxton...Ar	9 40 "
5 36 "	Lv...Red Springs...Lv	10 18 "
4 45 "	Lv...Hope Mills...Lv	11 01 "
4 28 "	Lv...Fayetteville...Ar	11 19

SOUTH BOUND Daily except Sunday. No. 15. MIXED.	Factory and Madison Branches.	NORTH BOUND Daily except Sunday. No. 16. MIXED.
6 05 p m	Ar...Ramseur...Lv	6 45 a. m
4 20 "	Lv...Climax...Lv	8 35 "
3 35 "	Lv...Greensboro...Ar	9 30 "

NORTH BOUND.	No. 16 MIXED. daily ex s
Leave Greensboro	9 35 a. m
Leave Stokesdale	11 07 "
Arrive Madison	11 55 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 15 MIXED. daily ex s
Leave Madison	12 30 p. m
Leave Stokesdale	1 28 "
Arrive Greensboro	2 40 "

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APRIL 5th, 1896.		No. 41	No 403
Leave Wilmington,	S. A. L.	P. M. * 3 20	A. M.
Arrive Maxton	"	6 12	
Arrive Hamlet	"	6 5	
Leave Hamlet	"	7 15	* 9 10
Arrive Wadesboro	"	8 01	9 55
Arrive Monroe	"	9 55	10 40
Leave Monroe	"	9 10	10 42
Arrive Charlotte	"	10 20	11 32
Arrive Lincolnton	"		P. M. 12 55
Arrive Shelby	"		1 50
Arrive Rutherfordton	"		3 0
Leave Hamlet	S. A. L.	A. M. + 9 25	
Arrive Osborne	"	9 50	
" Kollock	"	10 25	
" Cheraw	"	10 4	
Leave Cheraw	S. A. L.		P. M. + 5 3
" Kollock	"		5 5
" Osborne	"		6 3
Arrive Hamlet			6 5
Leave Wilmington	S. A. L.	* 3 20	
" Monroe	"	9 05	A. M. * 10 4
Arrive Chester	"	10 32	12 0
" Clinton	"	11 58	P. M. 1 2
" Greenwood	"	A. M. 1 00	2 33
" Abbeville	"	1 32	2 58
" Elberton	"	2 36	4 0
" Athens	"	3 38	5 1
" Atlanta	"	5 2	6 4
Leave Atlanta	A. & W. P.	5 35	
Ar Montgomery	West of Ala.	10 45	
Arrive Mobile	L. & N.	P. M. 4 10	
" New Orleans		8 30	
Arrive Columbia	C. N. & L.	A. M. * 10 00	P. M. * 4 30
Arrive Augusta	P. R. & W. C.	+ 9 35	P. M. * 5 0
Arrive Macon	M. & N.		P. M. * 6 4

EAST AND NORTH.

APRIL 5th, 1896.		No 38	No 402
Leave Wilmington	S. A. L.		P. M. * 3 20
Arrive Hamlet	"	A. M.	6 55
Leave Hamlet	"	* 9 15	10 35
Arrive Southern Pines	"	9 15	11 21
" Raleigh	"	11 26	A. M. 1 2
" Henderson	"	P. M. 1 0	2 33
" Weldon	"	* 3 50	* 4 08
Arrive Portsmouth	S. A. L.	P. M. * 5 50	A. M. * 7 30
" Norfolk		6 00	7 50
Arrive Richmond	A. C. L.	* 6 40	* 6 40
" Washington	P. R. R.	11 10	10 45
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Banking House and Fixtures	10,0?0 00	Circulation	44,9?0 00
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Cash on hand 179,815 77—	335,517 61		
Total	$952,3?0 ?4	Total	$952,320 54

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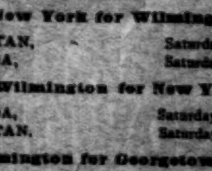

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FRIDAY MORNING, JAN. 29, 1897

TRAIN ROBBERS.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC EXPRESS HELD UP IN OREGON.

The Express Car Looted and Burned—The Mail Car Plundered of Registered Letters—Passengers Not Molested.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 29.—Train No. 15, northbound Express on the Southern Pacific, was held up this morning at Shady Point, two miles south of Roseburg, Oregon, by two or three men. The Express car was detached from the train by the robbers and the door blown open with dynamite. The small safes in the car were blown open and looted. The Express car then took fire. The conductor and trainmen worked hard to save the car after the robbers had gone, but the car and contents were destroyed. The train was on time at Shady Point, where Engineer Morris saw a man at the side of the track waving a flag. He slowed up for the signal and as he came to a stop a man armed with two revolvers came over the back of the tender and covered him. At the same time another armed man, the one who had flagged the train, appeared at the side of the cab and pointing a revolver, ordered the engineer not to attempt to move the train, but to come down at once and go with them to the Express car. The fireman, meantime, had got down on the other side. Two robbers and the engineer then went to the Express car, where the outlaws ordered the Express messenger to open the door. This he refused to do. The robbers then uncoupled the Express car, returned to the engine and backed the train, leaving the Express car separated. Meantime the Express messenger had seized the opportunity to leave his car. After breaking the train in two the robbers returned to the Express car and with heavy charges of dynamite blew the door open. Entering the car they attacked two small safes, which they succeeded in entering. The messenger thought the robbers did not understand getting into the big safe and consequently they could not have secured much money. The mail car was also visited and registered letters taken.

The explosions set fire to the Express car and when the robbers left it was a mass of flames. The train crew worked like heroines but was unable to save it. The car and contents were almost totally destroyed by fire. The passengers were considerably shaken up and frightened, but no one was injured.

SPOTS AND FUTURES.

Net Receipts at the Ports—New York Cotton Review of the Cotton Market.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st, 1896: Galveston, 1 153 167 bales, New Orleans 1,691,591; Mobile, 241 879, Savannah, 693,789; Charleston, 343 446; Wilmington, 235 208; Norfolk 609 826; Baltimore, 47,159 New York 91 585, Boston, 126 048; Newport News, 9 094; Philadelphia, 28,581; West Point 50, Brunswick, 84 427; Port Royal, 58 767; Pensacola, 46 383 Texas City, 43,078. Total, 5,502,924 bales.

The *Sun* says: Spot cotton here was unchanged, with sales of 200 bales for export and 900 for spinning; 500 were delivered on contract. Middling uplands 7 5 16 c, against 7¼; last year; New Orleans and Gulf 7 9 16c., against 8⅛c last year.

Intense dullness was the principal feature of the speculation to day. The trading, what there was of it, was of a local scalping character and the fluctuations in prices were confined within extremely narrow limits. At the opening prices advanced slightly on smaller receipts at the interior towns for the week than had been expected. The buying power was soon exhausted, however, and prices slowly receded, closing at a slight net decline for the day. The quantity to come into sight for the week is estimated at 186 000 bales. The firmness of cotton on the spot was a sustaining factor, and the loss of 30,000 bales in the interior stocks also had a favorable influence on sentiment.

BOARDING SCHOOL BURNED.

All the Inmates Escaped—Loss $15,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DALLAS, TEX., Jan. 29.—Shortly before midnight last night fire was discovered in the basement of Patton Seminary, a boarding school for girls at Oak Cliff, three miles south of this city, and in less than an hour the building was in ruins. About forty young ladies were in the building but all escaped in safety. The contents of the building, together with the personal effects of the scholars, were consumed. Loss about $15,000.

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, January 29.—Rosin dull; strained common to good $1 70@1 72½. Spirits turpentine steady at 27½@28c.

CHARLESTON, January 29.—Spirits turpentine dull and nothing doing. Rosin firm; sales — barrels; A, B C, D $1 45, E F $1 50, G $1 55, H $1 60, I $1 80, K $1 85, M $1 80, N $1 85, W G $2 00, W W $2 10.

SAVANNAH, January 29.—Spirits turpentine firm at 25½c; sales 115 casks; receipts 53 casks. Rosin firm; sales of 1 500 barrels; receipts 1,657 barrels; A, B, C, D $1 50, E F $1 55, G $1 65 H $1 80 I $1 90 K $1 90 M $1 90, N $1 90 W G $2 00, W W $2 25.

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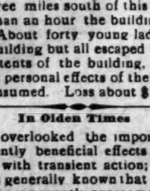

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SENATE AND HOUSE.

DEBATE ON THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY CONFERENCE BILL.

Text of the Measure—Resolutions Deprecating War and Inviting All Civil and Nations to Make a Corresponding Declaration—Appropriation Bills Considered in the House.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The bill for the representation of the United States at any international monetary conference that may be called occupied the Senate to-day almost exclusively and was finally passed by the triumphant majority of 49 to 4. It authorizes the President to appoint five or more commissioners to any international conference with a view to securing a fixity of relative value between gold and silver as money, by means of a common ratio between the metals, with free mintage at such rates; and it also authorizes the President to call, in his discretion, such conference to assemble at such point as may be agreed upon.

The debate on the bill was long and interesting, but by far the most important speech was that made by Mr. Hoar, Republican, of Massachusetts. He took the ground that a very large majority of the people of the civilized world was in favor of the double standard of gold and silver. He quoted two distinguished French statesmen—Messrs. Fongerol and Meline—as strongly in favor of bimetallism, and said that a resolution introduced in the French Assembly by the former had the support of 387 out of 450 delegates, or a majority of between three fifths and four-fifths. Mr. Hoar also named as among the principal European advocates of bimetallism, Mr. Balfour, leader of the English House of Commons, and recalled the remark made to him by a member of the present British Cabinet in a brilliant company in England, when he (Mr. Hoar) declined to repeat what Mr. Balfour had said to him, "Why, Mr. Hoar, it is no secret that Mr. Balfour's opinions upon this matter are those of a majority of Her Majesty's Government." Mr. Hoar also mentioned the likelihood of Germany and Russia joining in the bimetallic movement, and he declared, in conclusion, that the time had come for making another effort in that direction.

Prior to taking up the Monetary Conference bill a Senate bill granting a pension of $8 00 a month to Mrs. Martha Frank o Georgia, widow of a soldier in the Indian war of 1818, and now 103½ years old, was passed.

Mr. Bacon of Georgia, Democrat, introduced a joint resolution declaring that the United States deprecate war and desire the maintenance of peace and friendship with the world, and inviting all civilized nations to make a corresponding and reciprocal declaration. He said that he could not submit any remarks on the subject without trenching on the subject of the pending treaty between the United States and Great Britain, which would be manifestly improper. He simply desired to say that it must be apparent to all that such a declaration as was contained in the resolution when made by Congress (the war-making power), must exert a much stronger influence in the prevention of war and the encouragement of peace than could possibly be exerted by any treaty between two nations. He asked that the joint resolution be referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, and it was so referred.

The text follows:

"*Resolved* That the United States of America deprecate war and desire the maintenance of peace and friendship with all the world, and that this desire is not limited to their relations with any one nation, but extends to their relations with all the nations of the earth, whether the same be great or small, strong or weak.

"*Resolved further*, That to the end that these relations of peace and amity now happily existing between them and all nations may be perpetually preserved, and that wars may be discouraged and as far as practicable made impossible, the United States favor the principle and practice of international arbitration for the settlement of all questions in difference between them and any other nation which they may fail to adjust by treaty or diplomatic negotiation.

"*Resolved, further*, That the United States do hereby avow as their future policy and contention, whenever there shall arise any question in difference between them and any other nation which they may fail to adjust by treaty or diplomatic negotiation, that they shall and will, so far as they can consistently with the national honor and established national policies, agree with such other nation to submit such question in difference to the arbitrament and final decision of an international court of arbitration. Such court of arbitration shall in the future as in the past be constituted by agreement between the parties consenting thereto, with special reference and adaptation to the particular question in difference and to the conditions then existing.

"*Resolved, further*, That the United States do hereby invite all civilized nations to make a corresponding and reciprocal declaration, to the end that wars between the nations may cease and that a universal reign of peace may be inaugurated and perpetually maintained."

The following is the text of the Monetary Conference bill as amended and finally passed:

A bill to provide for the representation of the United States by commissioners at any international monetary conference hereafter to be called:

Be it ratified by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled. That whenever after March 4, 1897, the President of the United States shall determine that the United States should be reported at any international conference called by the United States or any other country with a view to securing by international agreement a fixity of relative value between gold and silver as money by means of a common ratio between these metals with free mintage at such ratio, he is hereby authorized to appoint five or more commissioners to such international conference; and for compensation of said commissioners, and for all reasonable expenses called therewith, to be approved by the Secretary of State, including the proportion to be paid by the United States of the joint expenses of any such conference the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated.

Section 2. That the President of the United States is hereby authorized, to call, in his discretion, such international conference, to assemble at such point as may be agreed upon.

The second section of the bill was an amendment presented by Mr. Bacon of Georgia, adopted and added to the bill as another section. An amendment presented by Mr. Cannon of Utah, mandatory upon the President to call the conference, which is the object of the bill, to meet in Washington on or before October next, was tabled—41 to 8.

The four negative votes upon the final passage of the bill were cast by Messrs. Allen, Pettigrew, Roach and Vilas.

The House bill authorizing the construction of a traffic bridge across the Ouachita river at Monroe, La., was taken from the calendar and passed.

At 5.55 the Senate adjourned until Monday.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A war between the States of Massachusetts and Vermont raged for a brief period on the floor of the House to day over allegations of railroad wrecking in those commonwealths. The combatants were Messrs. Powers, of Vermont, and Barrett, of Massachusetts, and the occasion of strife was the consideration of the report of the conferees upon the bill providing for the incorporation of the purchasers of the Atlantic and Pacific Railroad. The provisions of the bill were antagonized by Mr. Barrett, who charged that they concealed a gigantic scheme of stock jobbers.

Mr. Powers denied that there was anything of the sort in the bill, and added that if there had been any wrecking of the road, as suggested by the gentleman from Massachusetts, it had been done by people in and around Boston. In this connection he sarcastically referred to Mr. Barrett's Congressional experience, which he compared to that of a rose which withered and wasted its sweetness on a desert air. In reply Mr. Hawley gave the House the history of the receivership of the Central Vermont Railroad, conducted by the Supreme Court of that State and extending over a period of thirty years, which, he said, was the most fraudulent case of railroad wrecking the country had ever seen.

The report of the conferees was rejected—71 to 113—and the conferees were instructed to insist upon the retention in the bill of the House amendments, the principal one of which forbade the issue of stock except for par value received.

The bill making appropriations for the Military Academy was sent to conference on the Senate amendments thereto.

The House refused to take up bills on the private calendar, but for nearly an hour continued in Committee of the Whole and considered the Agricultural bill, without completing it. In the course of its discussion, Mr. Hardy (Republican, of Indiana) began a speech in favor of the acquisition of Cuba, and being refused permission to conclude, the five-minute rule being in operation, gave notice that no bill should pass the House by unanimous consent for the remainder of the session.

At 5 o'clock the House took a recess until 8 p. m., the evening session to be for the consideration of private pension bills.

The House Committee on Elections, No. 3, to-day decided the contested case of Benoit against Boatner, from the Fifth Louisiana district, in favor of Mr. Boatner, Democrat, the sitting member.

THE TRADE OUTLOOK.

DUN'S REVIEW OF THE BUSINESS SITUATION.

There is Improvement, and the Current Balance Due This Country Has Increased—Enormous Exports of Corn.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—R. G. Dun & Co. say in their weekly review of trade: January has been a month of disappointment, but of real gain. Nearly everybody had promised himself a land of milk and honey after New Year's, and the slow progress looks like standing still to men in such a state of mind. Moreover there are multitudes throughout the country who have been taking large ventures in advance of or apart from their regular business, because they expected a rise in prices. But prices fail as yet to bring them profit. Wheat has declined severely, cotton has scarcely risen enough to pay brokerage, wool holds steady in spite of enormous buying, white goods hardly changed in prices, iron and its products decline, leather is sluggish, hides are lower, for some shoe manufacturers accept a shade lower prices. The average of railroad stocks is slightly lower than it was December 31st, and the advance in trust stocks has been small. To traders in such properties the month has been disappointing. Yet during the week the record shows that ten iron works have started and only two have stopped, thirteen woollen works have started and nine more are about ready to start, while three have stopped. Similar things are seen in other industries and the additional establishments are not starting without some increase in orders received. It would do more harm than good to exaggerate the improvement. But a study of conditions governing business indicates that the wheels are on the right track and moving in the right direction. Men talked of a possible drain of gold a month ago, but January has passed and the liquidation of foreign indebtedness in this country seems farther off than ever. Merchandise exports from New York in January have been about 4 per cent. larger than last year and imports 15 per cent. smaller than last year, when the excess of exports was over $18,000,000, while cotton exports from other ports have also been larger. The month has not diminished but has increased the current balance due this country. Money markets become more easy and favorable to expansion of industries and legitimate business. The decline in wheat, over six cents, in spite of an official report of yield far below estimates generally accepted, reflects perception of the error of the report, and also of the influence of enormous exports of corn instead of wheat, 80 000 000 bushels in seven months. When two bushels of corn can be had for less than one bushel of wheat, it is largely preferred in European markets, and in January 7 859 127 bushels of corn have gone abroad from Atlantic ports, against 5 306 849 last year, while Atlantic exports of wheat and flour have been 6 535 154 bushels, against 8 403 765 last year. As the great crop of corn prevents much advance in its price, its outgo affects the demand for wheat and a heavy liquidation of speculation has occurred, with the price of corn scarcely changing. The largest article of export at this season goes out freely, but cotton looks less attractive to traders because American millers are laboring over plans to reduce a great surplus of goods and prices of many have declined. Takings of Northern spinners have been in five months 44 000 bales less than last year and 423.000 bales less than in 1894-1895. Sales of wool in January have never been surpassed in that month nor in other months, except last November and July of 1893 and 1892. The price has remained about steady. The iron and steel manufacturers show little gains, production having increased so heavily before, and the gradual enlargement of demand for finished products has not overtaken that increase. Lower prices resulted for Bessemer pig, grey forge and for Southern iron at Chicago, for cut nails, and the average of all quotations is the lowest since early last year. For sheets there is active demand and better also for bars on account of much car-building. Tin and copper are a shade stronger but competition causes sales of tin plates 10 and 15 cents below the agreed price.

Failures for the week have been 331 in the United States, against 404 last year, and 57 in Canada, against 70 last year.

After many days balloting George F. Turner who received the caucus nomination of the Populists and Free silver Republicans, was elected United States Senator by the Washington Legislature yesterday on the first ballot, receiving 67 votes.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

AUTONOMY TO CUBA.

Sweeping Home Rule Provisions of the Measure Which Has Received the Approval of the Administration at Washington—Cuban Council Has Great Power.

By Telegraph to the Herald.

HAVANA, CUBA, Jan. 27, VIA KEY WEST, FLA., Jan. 27, 1897.—I have seen an absolutely authentic draft of the home rule measure which Spain is about to concede to Cuba.

The act provides for a legislative assembly, wholly selective by an enlarged suffrage and composed of a Senate and lower House. Besides having the sole power to vote an especial budget of the island this chamber has full power to draw up and control the budget of what may be termed the imperial expenses, or the expenses of the army and navy of Spain, in so far as they are legitimately to be shared by Cuba.

This budget of material expenses will be sent to Madrid for the approval of the Cortes.

With the Governor General is vested the power to appoint all officials in the Cuban government, with the exception of the directors general or collectors of the ports, and members of the secretaries general of the Governor and civil governors of the provinces, who are to be selected by popular vote.

All officials who shall be appointed by the Governor General must be confirmed by the Assembly created by the reform measure in the same way that federal appointments require confirmation by the Senate in the United States.

This "Deputacion Unica," or "Consejo di Administracion," as the Cuban Assembly will be called, will have full and exclusive power to initiate all money and tariff bills, and no bill of this nature can be presented or considered by the Madrid Government until it has been approved by the Cuban Assembly.

THE MEASURE READ TO MR. OLNEY.

The reform measure was read to Mr. Olney in Washington last December by Minister De Lome, and met his unqualified approval. Some slight changes have been made by the Colonial Minister and Council of State at Madrid since Secretary Olney gave his approval. It is stated, however, that they are unimportant—more of language than of provision.

Liberal as these concession seem, I do not believe the Cubans will accept any agreement to which the United States is not directly or indirectly a party. This guarantee of arrangement is now being sought in the commercial agreement being negotiated at Washington. In this agreement Spain clearly recognizes the new autonomous system in Cuba, and any failure to carry out the agreement now or to abrogate it in future would be a breach of good faith with the United States sufficient to justify serious remonstrance and eventually, if necessary, actual interference.

If the terms of this pledge given by Spain to the United States are sufficiently explicit and unmistakable and not only guarantee the Cubans will accept the reform bill,

I can say that I have the authority to give this assurance. Otherwise neither this nor any other agreement, however made, will be accepted. This has been said to me many times during the last few days by the most authoritative leaders in the civil councils of the insurgents and may be regarded as final.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

Of Stocks, Receipts and Exports of Cotton.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending Jan. 29:

	1897	1896
Net receipts at all United States ports during the week...	140,313	12,126
Total receipts to this date.....	5,503,934	3,963,188
Exports for the week	140,145	103,893
Total exports to this date.....	4,100,141	2,642,939
Stock in all United States ports.....	1,064,703	935 904
Stock at all interior towns.....	457,551	486 863
Stock in Liverpool...	1,350,000	1,103,000
American afloat for Great Britain.....	290.000	165.000

THE WHOLE STORY of the wonderful cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla is soon told. It makes the blood rich, pure and nourishing. It cures scrofula, catarrh, rheumatism.

HOOD'S PILLS act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cure all liver ills. 25 cents. †

WARM WIRELETS.

The steamer Lahada passed out of Hampton Roads at 2 p. m. yesterday; destination not known.

A fire last night destroyed Rives Opera House and a number of stores, at Madisonville, Ky. Loss $75 000, insurance partial.

The House commerce commission has approved a bill appropriating $70 000 for a light house at the pitch of Cape Fear river, near Wilmington, N. C.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and in the most general satisfaction.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Notices for Rent, for Sale, Lost and Found, Wants, and other short miscellaneous advertisements inserted in this Department in leaded Nonpareil type, on first or fourth page, at Publisher's option, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 20 cents. Terms positively cash in advance.

Hay—Timothy Hay, mixed Clover hay, Prairie Hay, Straw, Grain and all kinds of mixed feed for horses and cattle. Jno. D. McEachern, 211 Market St. Telephone 52. oct 17 tf

Hayden, F. H., has in stock buggies, road Carts and harness of all kinds. Repairing done by skillful workmen on short notice. Opposite new Court House. oct

Syrup of Figs, Ipecac and Pepsin. Best Laxative and Tonic. Sold by druggists. 50c and $1 per bottle.

Wanted—Everybody to know that Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup cures coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, bronchitis, asthma, hoarseness, sore throat, pneumonia, consumption. Sold by druggists. 25c, 50c and $1 per bottle.

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Its Marvelous Power.

Paine's Celery Compound Better Than Years of Doctoring.

There was never a remedy so eminently successful, so far above and beyond all competition as Paine's celery compound.

Paine's celery compound effects marvelous cures.

Where other remedies miserably fail, and where doctors do not succeed, there Paine's celery compound is found curing disease, making people well and happy.

Here is the case of Mrs. Haff, who lives at 140 Summer Ave., Newark, N. J., and whose portrait is printed here.

"My doctor," she says, "called my disease liver complaint, stomach trouble, nervous dyspepsia and almost every other name you could think of. When I was in Portland, Ore., I had enlargement of the liver; and the doctor thought all the troubles came from that severe spell of illness. That was 13 years ago, and I have done nothing but doctor ever since. I have had the best physicians examine me, and see if they could do anything for me. For months at a time my stomach and liver have been so sore that I could lie in bed only in misery, and with such severe pain in my back, and so weak that I could hardly talk.

"After I had a bad night I would send for the doctor, and he would leave me a small box of powders and one or two other medicines, and it would cost me $4 every time I had one of these spells. I believe I have taken more medicine than any other living woman.

"Last March I had a call from a lady friend of mine, who asked me, 'What is the matter with you?' I replied by saying, 'How well you look!' 'Yes,' she said, 'I never felt so well in my life.' She is a woman of 45. 'And now,' she said, 'I want to give you a little advice. I have been almost at death's door with liver trouble. After the doctor had done all that he could for me I told him not to come again. I showed him a bottle of Paine's celery compound and told him I was going to give that a fair trial. As a result I am strong and well.

"I sent right over to the drug store and got a bottle of Paine's celery compound, and when I had taken two bottles the soreness had left my stomach and my side felt much better. After I had taken four bottles my side was much stronger, and I was in better spirits and felt as though I might live and not be in such misery. Working people nowadays work the vitality all out every week, and all I ask is to be able to earn the money I have to every week.

"Paine's celery compound has enabled me to do this, and has done me more good than all the doctors put together.

"Why, my nervous system is so entirely strengthened that I feel like a new being, and what is more, I look the good the medicine has done me, right in my face and eyes. Just tell all poor women for me that for a medicine to build one up, give Paine's celery compound a fair trial, and if it does not do it, then they might as well die. I have recommended it to several and it has helped in every case. I have a great deal to worry me, and a dose of the compound gives me quiet and sleep and then I can work. If any one wishes to write to me they can do so."

Why should a sick person do anything else but try a bottle of Paine's celery compound?

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Wheat Irregular but Closed Steady—Corn and Oats Higher—Pork Product Advanced.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Wheat was in a nervous condition all through the day's session. May wheat opened from 74¾c to 74¾c, sold between 73c and 73¾c, closing at 74¾@74⅝c—⅛@⅛c under yesterday. Cash wheat was irregular, closing steady.

May corn opened at 23¾c, sold between that price and 24¼c, closing at 24¼c—⅛@¼c higher than yesterday. Cash corn was firm.

May oats closed ¼c over yesterday. Cash oats were firm and ¼c higher.

Similar action to that witnessed in grain took place in provisions. The opening was easy, then there was a rally, which was due to covering by "shorts." Sympathy with wheat affected the feeling here. The strength of corn was an important factor in provisions late in the session. May pork closed 7½c higher, May lard and ribs each 2½c higher.

Gov. Sadler, of Nevada, has signed the bill licensing glove contests in that State.

1897.

Groceries and Provisions.

Seed and Fertilizers.

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Nutt and Mulberry streets.

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COAL! COAL!!

No other coal in the world is equal to

Southern Jellico and the Virginia Coals,

which we are selling at the very low price of $4.50 per ton, $2 25 half ton and $1.25 for a quarter of a ton, delivered anywhere in the city for the cash.

W. E. WORTH & CO.

Telephone 94. jan 29 tf

Cash Paid —FOR— Beeswax.

If you have some to sell ship it to us and we will allow you

26 CENTS PER POUND

for it in Boston and no charge for commission or for carting. References all through the South if required.

W. H. BOWDLEAR & CO.,

Boston, Mass.,

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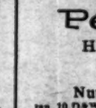
D. O'Connor,



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For Fifteen Days Only,

BEGINNING

Monday, January 25th.

FREE, A pair of 25c Suspenders, one 75c Laundered White Shirt, with any $5 Suit of Clothes. Same quality sold elsewhere at $7.50.

FREE, One $1 Laundered White Shirt a pair of 25c Suspenders, two pairs 15c Black or Tan half-Hose and a pretty Scarf with any $8 50 Suit of Clothes. Same quality sold elsewhere at $10.

FREE, A pretty 50c Neckrie, one $1 25 Laundered White Shirt, one pair 50c Suspenders, two pair 40c half Hose with any $12.50 Suit or Clothes Same quality sold elsewhere at $15.00.

Sizes of half Hose and Shirts to fit.

Scrivan's Pat. Seam Canton Flannell Drawers 89 cents.

$12 50 Overcoats $8 50.

$7.50 Overcoats and Ulsters $5.

Read Circulars for other bargains.

Remember, 15 days only.

Bell Phone 118. Inter-State 918.

Car fare paid on purchases of $3 and up.

J. H REHDER & Co.,

Near Fourth Street Bridge.

jan 24 tf

A Sensible Plan

Next Pay Day

.....To-to take a few dollars from your pay .....envelope and with it mark an account .....with the WILMINGTON SAVINGS .....AND TRUST CO. In the life of every .....working man and woman—there comes .....a time when a little laid aside proves a .....vast help—it may be sickness, or it may .....be that a chance for a good investment .....may arise.

In any event, the habit of saving money must benefit you.

Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.,

Princess between Front and Second Streets.

jan 16 tf

Executor's Notice.

HAVING QUALIFIED AS EXECUTRIX OF the last will and testament of Isaac VanAmringe, dec'ased, on the 8th day of January, 1897, I hereby notify all persons indebted to my said testator to make immediate payment to me and those to whom he was indebted to present their claims to me on or before the 23rd day of January, 1898, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. This the 21st day of January, 1897.

MARY F. VANAMRINGE, Executrix.

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TEN DAYS AT A. D. BROWN'S,

Successor to BROWN & RODDICK,

JANUARY 24TH TO FEBRUARY 4TH

20 per cent. discount on all WOOLEN UNDERWEAR, upstairs.

25 per cent. discount on all CLOAKS, JACKETS and CAPES.

500 yards All Wool Linen CARPETS at 50 cents yard.

500 yards BROCATELLE, worth $1.25, only 60c a yard. These goods cost 97½c yard.

1,000 WINDOW SHADES, all Linen, at 35 cents each.

CHENILLE TABLE COVERS 1¼ yards square, worth $1.50, only 75 cents each.

500 Ladies Dollar KID GLOVES, "Cluse Paten Tamb," only 75 cents each.

50 pairs French Woven CORSETS. Sizes 18, 26, 27, 28 and 29, only 35 cents per pair.

50 pair LACE CURTAINS, worth $3 per pair, only $1.50 per pair.

WHITE GOODS—Unusual display of Spring Goods. We have no hesitancy in saying that we have the most complete line of White Goods that has ever been shown in this city.

LINENS—Table Damask in Red, White and Cream Napkins in every size.

New Embroideries.

Organdies, Batistes, Lawns, Dimities, Plain and Fancy Piques and open work Lace effects.

Linen colored Fancies and Dimity Checks.

50 Rolls Matting Just Received.

No. 29 North Front St.

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A Drop In Prices.

The old and well known firm of Braddy & Gaylord, of Wilmington's Big Racket Store, is now on the eve of dissolving copartnership. It has been very well managed and very successfully in the past eight years, and the dissolution is coming off for the purpose of opening up a branch store in New York city, where the other partner will be always on the market looking out for bargains of every kind. We now have a large stock of goods on hand that we want to turn into money at a price we have never claimed to sell goods for cash at any time up until now, but now we will sell a good many goods for less than cost for cash, only we are very anxious to raise a large amount of ready cash, and for the dollar down we will sell big values.

1 yard wide Bleaching, worth 6c, now 4½c; our Fine Sea Island Sheeting, 1 yard wide, worth 5c, now 4½c. 1 yard Sheeting, heavy and nice, worth 5c, now 4½c; 36 inch wide Blue Tricot, worth 12½c, now 8½c; 36 inch Dress Plaids, worth 25c, now 17c; our 10c Bed Ticking now 7½c. Our line of Red Flannel worth 40c, now 32c.

Our heavy Pants Jeans, worth 20c now 14c; our line of Cotton Jeans, worth 10c, now 7c. All Dress Goods greatly reduced. Men's and Boy's Suspenders from 5c to 25c. Men's Collars for 5, 7 and 10c. Dragon Spool Cotton, worth 20c, now at 10c per dozen. Fine Envelopes, worth 5c a pack, now 3c. Splendid White Ruled Linen Finish Paper, worth 10c a quire, now 5 quires for 10c. 360 pairs of Woman's Shoes, worth from $1.00 to 2.00 a pair, in odds and ends, now to close at 50c a pair. 200 pairs Men's Shoes, in good solid stock, worth from $1.00 to 2.00, now any of this lot for 95c. A big lot of Children's Shoes put on the counter to close at a bargain, from 15c to 40c.

In our Millinery we do not stop at cost. We make big reductions. The stock is too numerous to mention, but you can buy your Hats and Trimmings at least 25 per cent. or one-quarter less than ever before.

We have a big lot of cheap Cloaks that we want to close from 50c to $3 00. If you want a Cape, Cloak or Jacket of any kind come and look at ours.

In Winter Underwear, Gent's and Ladies', we have made a big reduction. Our 50c Shirts now for 40c; our 25c goods, heavy Shirts, for 18c. Heavy Blue Flannel Overshirts at 75c a piece.

We are at 112 North Front street, opposite the Orton Hotel.

Braddy & Gaylord, Props,

Of Wilmington's Big Racket Store.

P. S—All parties that have accounts with us, please send in at once or be ready when our collector calls.

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GROVER'S

SOFT SHOES

FOR

TENDER FEET.

AT

PETERSON & RULFS.

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OUR "COMFORT" HEATERS

—WITH—

CAST TOP AND BASE,

ARE THE BEST AND MOST

Lasting Stoves On The Market.

The proof of this is our large sales of these goods. Our line of COOKING STOVES are equal to any. We also have a fine assortment of OIL STOVES. Our prices are based on the quality of goods we handle.

Wm. E. Springer & Co.,

"PURCELL" BUILDING, WILMINGTON, N. C. jan 3 tf

SEASONABLE GOODS.

Jute Bagging,

Arrow Ties,

Cheese, Crackers, Cakes, Salmon, Sardines, Oysters.

Full and complete stock of

HEAVY AND FANCY GROCERIES.

LOWEST CASH PRICES.

Don't fail to see us before buying

WORTH & WORTH.

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At the Unlucky Corner

THIS WEEK

Butter and Ginger Preserves,

FOX RIVER BUTTER.

Imported, Canton, Ginger Preserves

BY THE POUND

Will be sold Lower Than Ever Before in Wilmington.

We do not publish these Prices here. They worry some people.

Quantity sold to one person limited to 10 pounds.

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SUCCESSORS TO DIVINE & CHADBOURN,

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WHITE LEAD,

Ready Mixed Paints,

Linseed Oil,

Kerosene Oil,

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Glass, Glue,

Varnishes, Brushes, etc.

Lamps and Lamp Goods.

Sash, Doors and Blinds.

Sole Agents for the celebrated observers, Williams & Co.'s Pure Ready Paints. Time of it used last year, and used on the largest and costliest residences and public buildings in the city. Artists and others holding cards be ter than any Paint used heretofore.

Five gallons Fire-Proof Oil 85 cents, delivered at your House.

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OLD NEWSPAPERS FOR SALE AT THIS office. Suitable for wrapping purposes.

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OUR SERVICE IS FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY particular. Finest Horses in town. First-class equipages. Polite attention. All calls and orders day and night promptly attended to.

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Open 365 days and 365 nights in a year.

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Mortgage Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF THE POWER OF SALE contained in a mortgage made by Isabella Farrior to the North Carolina Home Building Association, recorded in Book No 16, page 197 of the records of New Hanover County, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington N. C., on Tuesday, the 9th of February, 1897, at 12 o'clock M., the following tract of land in said city to-wit: Beginning at a point on the eastern line of Seventh street 132 feet north of the northern line of Church street, runs thence east parallel with Church street 145 feet to Wilson street, thence north with the west line of Wilson street 83 feet, thence west parallel with Church street 138 feet to east line of Seventh street, thence south with said line of Seventh street 83 feet to the beginning.

JOHN D. BELLAMY, Attorney for Mortgagee.

jan 19 30t

Apples.

15 Barrels Apples.

5 Bags C. C. Nuts.

75 Barrels E. B. Potatoes.

25 Boxes Riverside Soap.

40 Barrels Sugar.

25 Bags 100-lbs. Sugar.

25 Dozen Brooms.

W. B. COOPER,

Wholesale Grocers.

jan 27 tf D&W Wilmington, N. C.